

Soviet Labels Congo Mission 'Monstrous'

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New German Settlement Bid Likely

Plot Charged To Break Up Africa Nation

Russian Delegate Tells U.N. 10,000 Congolese Killed

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The Soviet Union denounced as "monstrous" the U.S.-Belgian mission that rescued 2,000 rebel-held hostages in the Congo, and said it was carried out while the Western powers plotted secretly to dismember that African country.

Nikolai T. Fedorenko, chief Soviet delegate, delivered the charge Thursday in the U.N. Security Council, where he proclaimed support for the rebels seeking to overthrow Premier Moise Tshombe.

"What was behind this monstrous mission of the Western powers?" he asked. "At the same time this operation was being planned the Western powers were putting the final touches on a criminal conspiracy for the dismemberment of the Congo."

Soviet Charge Denied

He claimed that 10,000 Congolese men, women and children were killed by mercenaries and Belgian paratroopers — a charge that has been denied by Belgium and other Western delegates.

Fedorenko lined up behind those African nations which have been demanding that the council condemn the United States, Belgium and Britain as aggressors for carrying out the rescue mission late last month. Britain permitted the paratroopers in U.S. planes to land at the Island of Ascension en route to Stanleyville.

Oscar Kambona, foreign minister of Tanzania, told the council that the Stanleyville operation "will go down in history as the meanest, most unwarranted and provocative interference by the Western world in the affairs and peace of the African continent."

African Nations Divided

But not all African nations were united on a solution for the Congo. At a private meeting of African foreign ministers and ambassadors, Nigeria and the Congo were reported critical of efforts of the Organization of African Unity to bring peace to the Congo.

Recommendations by the OAU included sending of a fact-finding body to the Congo and surrounding area, a cease-fire in the Congo, withdrawal of mercenaries from the Congolese army, and a roundtable conference of Congolese politicians aimed at national unity, diplomatic sources said.

Hope Troupers Forced Down

BUPYONG, South Korea (AP) — A helicopter carrying half of Bob Hope's troupe on his annual Christmas overseas visit to American servicemen was forced down Thursday in a heavy Korean snowstorm.

Hope had come on to Bupyeong, the supply depot area, with Jill St. John, Anita Bryant, Anna Maria Alberghetti and Miss World — Ann Sidney — in a separate helicopter.

But he had to delay his two-hour outdoor show until another helicopter brought in the others, Janis Paige, Jerry Colonna, Les Brown, John Bubbles and Hope's television director, Jack Shea. Their helicopter had been forced down four miles north-east of Seoul.

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Soviet Opinion

Nikolai T. Fedorenko, Soviet delegate to the U. N., speaks to the Security Council yesterday. He joined in the chorus of attacks from African countries, calling the U.S.-Belgian rescue mission to the Congo "a monstrous crime." (AP Photofax)

"Right-To-Work" Repeal Discussed By Johnson, Labor

No Commitment Given By President

WASHINGTON (UPI)—President Johnson discussed a wide variety of subjects with top labor leaders Thursday but he gave no commitment on how he might support the Democratic platform's pledge to abolish state "right-to-work" laws. George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO, told newsmen after the two-hour and 15-minute meeting, "I'm quite sure the President is going to support the platform."

White House Press Secretary George E. Reedy also told newsmen that the President "stands on the Democratic platform." Reedy and Meany agreed, however, that the labor group asked and received no commitment on how the platform pledge should be fulfilled. At issue in the right-to-work controversy is Section 14B of the Taft-Hartley labor law which permits states to restrict federal provisions which allow labor management contracts recognizing the union shop.

Democratic platforms of 1960 and 1964 call for repeal of 14B. Meany was asked whether Johnson committed himself to labor's drive for legislation to repeal 14B. He replied that

Atomic Mine Stockpiling Confirmed By McNamara

WASHINGTON (AP) — That atomic demolition charges are among the nuclear weapons stockpiled in Europe was confirmed Thursday by Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara.

The existence of such devices — for use in blowing up highway networks or blocking mountain passes — had been a matter of record for more than half a dozen years, but until now there has been no authoritative word on where they were spotted. McNamara, returning from meetings of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Paris, was asked about reports that atomic demolition munitions — ADM — were being used in the defensive system along the Communist border of Germany.

Separate Tax Plan Under SS Urged By Mills

WASHINGTON (AP) — Chances for a successful compromise on President Johnson's health care plan for the aged appeared to improve Thursday when a leading opponent suggested terms he could accept.

Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., of the House Ways and Means Committee, said in a telephone interview he could support a program administered by Social Security provided it is financed by a separate payroll tax.

The administration bill would incorporate the whole plan fully into Social Security, raising the existing Social Security tax to pay the cost.

Anderson Not Impressed

Sen. Clinton P. Anderson, D-N.M., cosponsor of the Johnson bill, would not speculate about the compromise prospects, but remarked, "I am sure the administration will insist on Social Security financing."

Mills said he could "vote for a payroll tax to finance part of the cost of health care of the aged." He agreed it would be easier and less costly to have the Social Security agency administer such a program rather than set up a new organization. The American Medical Association, which opposes the proposed health care plan under Social Security, refused to comment on Mills' suggestion.

Mills' Contentment

The Social Security tax is a payroll tax, paid by employers and employees on each worker's earnings up to \$4,800 a year. It finances the old age retirement and other benefits now provided by law. Mills has contended this whole program would be in danger if Social Security were made liable for hospital benefits whose cost could not be accurately figured in advance. But his expressed willingness to accept administration by Social Security and financing through a separate payroll tax encouraged the health care plan's backers in the executive branch.

Eichmann Aide Sent To Prison

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Franz Novak, Adolf Eichmann's transportation chief, was sentenced Thursday to eight years in prison for his part in the wartime mass extermination of Europe's Jews.

The jury found Novak guilty of "violence under aggravating circumstances" in the deaths of thousands of Jewish men, women and children who died of starvation, cold or exhaustion aboard crowded cattle trains he sent to Nazi concentration camps.

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Norwegian Air Force Captain Held As Spy

OSLO (UPI)—The Norwegian air force disclosed Thursday that one of its captains has been arrested on charges of spying for a foreign power.

Informal sources said the officer admitted selling secrets to the Russians. Authoritative sources said the investigators were trying to determine whether the accused officer's activities jeopardized secrets of the NATO defense system in Northern Europe.

A terse communique issued by Lt. Gen. Wilhelm Mohr, Norwegian air force chief, said the captain had been held since Dec. 2. The communique did not identify him or the country for which he allegedly spied.



Reporting To The President

Secretary of State Dean Rusk (left) and Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara reported to the President last night on their meeting with North American Treaty Organization ministers in Paris. (AP Photofax)

Progress Seen Toward Unity By U.S., France

PARIS (AP) — Ministers of the Atlantic alliance agreed Thursday on new efforts to bridge differences between the United States and France on the political and military future of Western defense.

The North Atlantic Treaty Organization's foreign, defense and finance ministers concluded their annual year end conference without agreement on any combined control of nuclear weapons. But they agreed to continue a discussion of this problem within the NATO framework.

U.S. Secretary of State Dean Rusk headed back to the United States confident that the new contacts opened with France in his talks with President Charles de Gaulle and Foreign Minister Maurice Couve de Murville of France will be carried forward.

The United States continued to advocate a multinational system whereby NATO members could share the "agony of responsibility" for recourse to nuclear conflict. De Gaulle wants to retain full control over his budding nuclear force.

American officials saw some prospect for bringing the divergent views closer together through coordination of U.S. and French nuclear strategy. French Defense Minister Pierre Messmer raised this possibility with U.S. Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara and the U.S. position is to see where this leads.

Both sides realized that there never can be any separate nuclear action within the alliance, and that the distinction between the U.S. policy of an integrated force and the French concept of coordination may not be as sharp as thought.

There were signs that De Gaulle shares Washington's determination to prevent any further spread of nuclear weapons. De Gaulle agreed with Rusk that the explosion of a bomb by the Communist Chinese raises this problem in a new form.

The question could become acute if Red China builds a large nuclear arsenal to back up a militant expansionist policy.

Burch Confident He'll Retain Job

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Republican National Chairman Dean Burch Thursday returned a meeting with Sen. Barry M. Goldwater confident that he had enough National Committee support to remain in his job.

"I've had a survey made and it shows I have enough votes," Burch said. "But I wish I had more."

The National Committee will meet next month in Chicago to determine if it wants to keep Burch on the job.

7 Die In Crash Of Guard Plane

FORT WORTH (UPI)—An air National Guard KC97 crashed and exploded in flames at Greater Southwest International Airport Thursday night, killing seven men aboard.

At least four were reported injured. Two bodies were recovered, but the flaming ruins, once thought extinguished, erupted in explosions again and again when firefighters ran out of extinguishing foam.

U.S. Prepares New Indictment Against Reds

WASHINGTON (AP) — One year after its worst legal defeat in the fight against the U.S. Communist party, the government is preparing to seek a new indictment.

This was reliable reported Thursday at the Justice Department. With a new trial less than three months away, it is picking over its arsenal of legal weapons.

It was one year ago Thursday that the U.S. Court of Appeals upset the 1961 conviction of the party for failing to register as an agent of the Soviet Union.

That conviction was obtained two years ago and brought the party a \$120,000 fine. Registration with the Justice Department is required by the Internal Security Act of 1950 — also known as the McCarran Act.

The Appeals Court — later backed by the Supreme Court, which refused to review the case — ruled that the government had failed to prove the availability to the party of a volunteer nonmember to register for it. Such a volunteer would not be concerned with possible self-incrimination. The court held that the party officers who were legally required to register for the party had the constitutional right to protect themselves from self-incrimination.

The government's argument identified themselves publicly as such, without fear of self-incrimination, was to no avail.

American Defects To East Germany

HEIDELBERG, Germany (UPI) — An American soldier, absent without leave since Sunday and a woman, believed to be German, apparently defected to Communist East Germany, it was reported Thursday.

The West German border police at Fulda identified the soldier as Pfc. Claude Swain, 20, who was stationed in Augsburg, Bavaria.

Rusk Reports To President On Paris Trip

Further Initiative To Soviet Favored By Western Allies

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Secretary of State Dean Rusk indicated Thursday night that the Western allies may undertake a new "initiative" toward Russia for settlement of long standing issues over divided Germany.

Rusk told newsmen that the United States, Britain, France and West Germany, during this week's NATO talks in Paris, expressed themselves in favor of "some further initiative" to the Kremlin on German issues.

Exactly how or in what form this might be done, Rusk said, was not decided.

He said this was expected to be discussed further among Western foreign ministers who probably will be in New York in January if the U.N. General Assembly is reconvened then.

Reports To Johnson

Rusk made the remarks to newsmen at the White House after he and Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara reported to President Johnson on the NATO ministerial meeting in Paris. They returned Thursday.

Rusk, however, did not appear to hold out much hope for a settlement with Russia on the problems of Berlin and divided Germany. He said it did not appear the Kremlin was "very interested" in serious discussions on these matters at the present time.

West German officials have been urging new diplomatic efforts on the subject.

Rusk told newsmen that ministers of the 15 nation NATO alliance who met in Paris generally agreed the alliance has never been "so safe" or resolved in purpose as it is today. But, he said, it was agreed that the need for maintaining strong defenses is still vital.

McNamara said military talks during the meetings showed a "substantial increase" in the military strength of the alliance during the past two to three years.

"Weaknesses" Revealed

He said "some weaknesses" were revealed and "steps will be taken" to correct them.

Some increase may be needed in defense spending of some member nations, he said, but none is necessary in the average per cent of gross national product devoted to defense by NATO members.

Rusk said the NATO ministers were "encouraged" by developments in Latin America and by troubles in the Communist bloc. But, he said, there was "deep concern" over Southeast Asia, which he called the principle danger at this time, and concern also over Communist "mischief making" in Africa.

All in all he pronounced the Western alliance "in good shape," though he conceded there are still "differences" which must be ironed out.

Rusk said his two long talks in Paris with French President Charles de Gaulle covered the subjects of the future spread of nuclear weapons, Southeast Asia and "problems of the alliance."

Harsh Cold Spreads Out From Midwest Into South

By The Associated Press

A vast cover of cold air which lay paralyzing over the North-west, Midwest and Great Plains states for three days spread out ominously Thursday into the Southland.

Cold wave warnings were issued for southern and eastern Texas, western and northern Louisiana, southeastern Arkansas, western Kentucky and western Tennessee.

Ahead of the mass of polar air, the Weather Bureau said, was freezing rain and the possibility of some locally heavy snowfalls.

Temperatures will drop rapidly to below zero as far south as the Texas Panhandle and as far east as northwestern Ohio, the bureau forecast.

North of the threatened area, lay areas of bitterly cold temperatures and human misery.

West Yellowstone, Mont., near the national park, had the lowest reported temperature Thursday, -51 degrees. Meacham, Ore., near Pendleton, had -23, and Worland and Moorcroft, Wyo., reported -35.

Readings throughout Montana ranged from the West Yellowstone low of -51 to -23.

At Cle Elum, in the eastern foothills of Washington State's Cascade Mountains, the low Thursday was -25. Ellensburg, in central Washington, had -23, and Spokane -20. All were records for the month.

Readings in North Dakota were well below zero. Williston, in northwestern North Dakota, had -23, and Rapid City, S.D., the same reading. The low at Custer, S.D., was -37, and Hot Springs, S.D., had -24.

Suit To End Tax Exemptions For Churches Is Dismissed

Judge To Explain His Decision Later

BALTIMORE (AP) — Judge Wilson Barnes of the Baltimore Circuit Court announced Thursday he has dismissed the suit against tax exemptions for church properties.

Atheist Mrs. Madalyn Murray and her mother, Mrs. Laddie Mays, were the original plaintiffs. The Free Thought Society and Lemoir Cree later petitioned successfully to join the suit.

Judge Barnes said he was dismissing the suit "with prejudice," meaning that the case was closed at the circuit court level. However, the plaintiffs have 30 days in which to appeal to the Maryland Court of Appeals.

Leonard Kerpelman, attorney for the Free Thought Society and Cree, said he hadn't studied the findings in the case yet, but added, "Of course, we will file an appeal."

Kerpelman represented Mrs. Murray in the Supreme Court case which resulted in the outlawing of required prayers and Bible readings in public schools.

Judge Barnes said he would file his opinion or memoranda explaining the reasons for the decision later.

In a subsidiary decision, Judge Barnes ruled Mrs. Murray, Cree and the Free Thought Society have "sufficient status to maintain the suit" and to raise the constitutional questions brought before the court. The defendants in the case, State Comptroller Louis Goldstein and Maryland and Baltimore tax authorities, had challenged the legal standing of the plaintiffs.

The plaintiffs argued that tax exemptions for church properties violated both the state and U. S. constitutions, primarily because of the constitutional guarantee of the separation of church and state.

They also argued that as taxpayers they were forced unfairly to pay a larger share of taxes because the churches, which used public services such as roads, police and fire protection, failed to pay their share of the bill.



SCALPED — Robbers staged a daylight holdup of a Denver store specializing in ladies wigs. The holdup men made off with 110 wigs with a retail value, according to store owner Bruce Smith, of \$26,000. The wig in the photo was placed there by Smith as he prepared to display hairpieces not taken in the holdup. Some of the wigs have a retail value of \$750 each. (AP Photofax)

Job-Seeking Chemist, 48, Told He's 'Over Qualified'

TOWSON, Md. (AP)—A chemist told Thursday he is "over-qualified" for jobs he has been looking for a job before but can't find one because he is 48 years old and has so much experience.

The chemist said two com-

Strike Slows Construction At Spaceport

CAPE KENNEDY (UPI) — A strike by a carpenters union local crippled key construction Thursday at America's \$750 million moonport and other rocket complexes.

The tieup was the fourth major work stoppage of the year at this spaceport. Earlier disputes were stopped by federal court orders.

The walkout began at dawn when members of Carpenters Union Local 1685 set up picket lines at all the entrances to the Merritt Island moon base and nearby Patrick Air Force Base to protest the use of non-union carpenters by one contractor.

About 3,350 of 4,285 construction workers refused to cross the picket lines despite the appeals of labor leaders who said the walkout was not sanctioned by the local Building Trades Council.

"The impact of this walkout will be far reaching on the construction efforts of our nation's space program," said Col. W. L. Starnes, chief of the Army Corps of Engineer's space construction at the Cape.

A corps spokesman said construction was now at its peak at the center with \$246 million worth of work presently underway.

He said nearly all the 1,700 workers on the huge \$100 million Saturn-5 moon rocket assembly building failed to report to their jobs.

Other work at the Merritt Island Center, which will be the base for America's Project Apollo lunar landing program, was either slowed or brought to a standstill by the picketing.

The Air Force said work on the Titan-3 military space rocket launch area was also affected, including work on a launch pad that is scheduled for completion early next month. The first launch of the Titan-3C super rocket is set for April from the complex.

Work was also curtailed on a Cape-Kennedy launch pad that is being refurbished to handle the Saturn-1B super rocket that will be used to orbit three men in 1967.

At Least 16 Viet Reds Die When Tunnels Blasted

SAIGON, Viet Nam (AP) — Army demolition charges blew up a network of Viet Cong tunnels 15 miles northwest of Saigon Thursday and dumped tons of earth on Red fighters in hiding there.

U. S. military sources said the bodies of 16 guerrillas were pulled out and many more probably were buried. The tunnels, discovered during a routine search near the village of Paris Tan Guy, yielded one prisoner. He was identified as a senior propagandist for the Viet Cong in the northern Saigon area.

In aerial operations, there were two incidents involving Caribou transport planes.

One drew enemy fire while approaching Saigon airport and a U. S. Army enlisted man aboard it was shot in the elbow. That Caribou landed safely.

The other crashed at the military outpost of Ta Bat near the frontier of Laos. A U. S. spokesman said there was no report of casualties.

Peking broadcast to the world a Viet Cong claim that the Red guerrillas have seized the military initiative in South Viet Nam.

Jersey To Give Addicts Choice

TRENTON, N.J. (UPI)—New Jersey Thursday became the first state in the nation to give convicted narcotics addicts the choice of voluntarily going to a hospital for a cure instead of going to prison.

"This is a meaningful step forward in the state's ever-continuing battle to deal realistically and effectively with the problems caused by the illicit use of narcotic drugs," said Gov. Richard J. Hughes as he signed the legislation into law. State Institutions and Agencies Commissioner Lloyd W. McCorkle called the new law a "dramatic change" in state policy.

McCorkle said that both New York and California have laws that recognize narcotics addiction as a health problem. But he said neither state had given judges the opportunity of having an addict commit himself to a hospital rather than be sent to jail.

Under the new law, New Jersey judges have the opportunity to place convicted narcotics offenders on probation if they agree to commit themselves to a state or county mental hospital or other approved medical facility.

The addict must agree, after his release from the hospital to receive aftercare treatment for the balance of his probationary period.



TUGBOAT SINKS IN ICY RIVER—The pilot house roof of the tugboat "The Little One" is all that's visible after the craft sank yesterday in the Illinois River near Peoria, Ill. Two Chicago men, Leslie Doyle, 44, captain, and his first mate, Jerry Strahan, 32, jumped off onto an ice floe and were rescued. (AP Photofax)

Duke Is Making Fast Recovery From Surgery

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — The Duchess of Windsor remained at her husband's bedside every waking moment Thursday as the former British monarch continued rapid recovery from serious abdominal surgery.

Methodist Hospital spokesmen said the duchess left the bedside only while the 70-year-old duke was sleeping. The duke's condition continued excellent and a hospital advisory said he was resting comfortably despite some medication for pain relief.

Feeding continued intravenously but Dr. Michael DeBakey, the surgeon who removed an arterial blister the size of a large grapefruit, permitted the duke to sip his favorite "spot of tea" in small amounts.

The former king drank his own special tea from India which he carries wherever he goes.

The duchess, 68, a former American divorcee the duke married 28 years ago after abdicating the British throne, had said she might leave the hospital for "a breath of air" Thursday but spokesmen said she indicated she would not leave the building this week.

While her husband slept, the duchess granted an exclusive interview to Mabel Elliott, a reporter for the London Daily Telegraph.

This was in line with similar interviews granted Monday and Tuesday to women reporters from Houston's two daily newspapers.

Otherwise, hospital officials ruled out any interviews or photographs of either the duke or duchess or of any of the nurses.

The tea was the duke's first oral refreshment since the 67-minute operation early Wednesday. Dr. DeBakey said it will be another 36 hours before his patient can take food orally.

SRC Employee Hit-Run Victim

BETHESDA, Md. (AP) — A member of a State Roads Commission surveying crew was killed Thursday when he was struck by a hit and run driver on the Capital Beltway.

State Police said the victim, Daniel Sempler, 35, of Baltimore, was hit while standing on the shoulder of the Beltway, one mile north of the River Road interchange.

The driver of the car stopped about 1,000 feet up the road, police said, got out of his car started to walk back, but apparently changed his mind, returned to his car and sped off.

Pirate Radio Silenced By Dutch Authorities

NOORDWIJK, Netherlands, (AP) — Striking on the open sea, government raiders Thursday silenced a still-mounted commercial broadcasting station that has been cutting into the ratings of Dutch radio and television monopolists since Sept. 1.

The station was an international venture called Radio Noordzee — North Sea. It beamed music, American television films and sponsors' advertising to the Netherlands from a sort of Texas Tower just outside Dutch territorial waters off Noordwijk.

The last gasp came at 9:06 a.m. A smoke bomb exploded over the station and transmission was broken off in the middle of a recording of a hit tune by a young Dutch singer.

A government cable ship and helicopters landed police, sailors and Prosecutor J. F. Hartshoek and his staff on the artificial island. The prosecutor ordered the transmitters seized.

There was no resistance from the 10 men manning the station.

Santa Even Gets Request For "Mommy's Purse"

SANTA CLAUS, Ind. (UPI) — Pamela Schlie of College Park, Md., asked for a "time-bomb game."

Kathy Taylor of Lesueur, Minn., wants "mommy's purse." Her older brother, Billy, offered lists headed "most" and "not very much."

Billy Watts of Germania, Pa., asked for several toys and explained: "I have a lot of real nice clothes and I don't need any more."

Their letters—and thousands more like them—have come to Santa Claus' home away from home in this little Hoosier village.

Members of the Santa Claus American Legion and Forty and Eight, serving as Santa's helpers, are answering every child.

The replies make no promises. "I may not be able to bring you everything you want," they say, "but I'll try to do my best."

Mike Fleming wrote from Wuerzburg, Germany, asking for two spacephones and specifying the page of the mail order catalogue where they might be found.

Hugh and Coleman Groaves, Prospect, Ky., also were space-minded, asking for a rocket and a jet, but they also asked for a fishing pole, rifle and gloves.

Terry Puffinburger, Atlantic Beach, Fla., also had studied catalogues. She asked for "a record player No. 48N6590 shipping weight 8 pounds \$16.99." She wanted a record album by the Beatles.

Frances Suarez, Pembroke, Mass. asked Santa for Beanie shoes, Beanie pants and a Beanie game. As an afterthought she wrote: "I hope you know who the Beatles are."

Six Cases Kept Open In Rights Protests

BALTIMORE (AP)—The Baltimore County prosecutor said Thursday he is keeping open six cases against civil rights demonstrators.

Frank H. Newell III, state's attorney, said one of the youths was charged with assaulting a policeman and five others were charged with resisting arrest.

The charges stem from demonstrations last year at a roller rink in suburban Catonsville.

Two months ago, Newell dropped some 730 cases involving trespass, conspiracy and disorderly conduct charges. Most of these came from demonstrations at Gwynn Oak Amusement Park last year.

Holes in Swiss cheese are produced by bacterial action during the process of fermentation.

Cannon Back In Funkstown After "Trip"

FUNKSTOWN, Md. (AP) — A World War II cannon, memorializing those from this Western Maryland community who lost their lives in that conflict, is back at its tiny grassy park on the outskirts of town after a harrowing, quarter-mile journey down U. S. 40-A.

And four Hagerstown Junior College students have been fined \$50 and costs each on charges of malicious destruction of property. The four also agreed to pay \$5 apiece to repair the field piece.

A Funkstown spokesman said the metal, concrete-filled wheels on the cannon were damaged by the brief trip, and the railroad is missing.

The boys said they hooked the cannon to the back of their small foreign sports car as a prank. They planned to put it on the lawn of a girl friend, they said.

About a quarter-mile down the road, however, they decided to ditch the cannon. They were apprehended after their car ran into a tree about two miles farther down the road when a motorist who had followed them notified State Police.

Cole Medics Optimistic

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (UPI) — Doctors remained optimistic Thursday that cobalt treatment would improve the condition of famed singer Nat King Cole, who is suffering from a lung tumor.

There has been no indication "I want to leave some toys for the other kids," she said.

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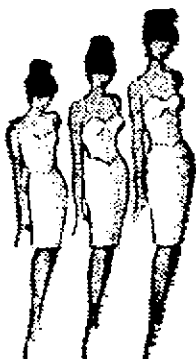
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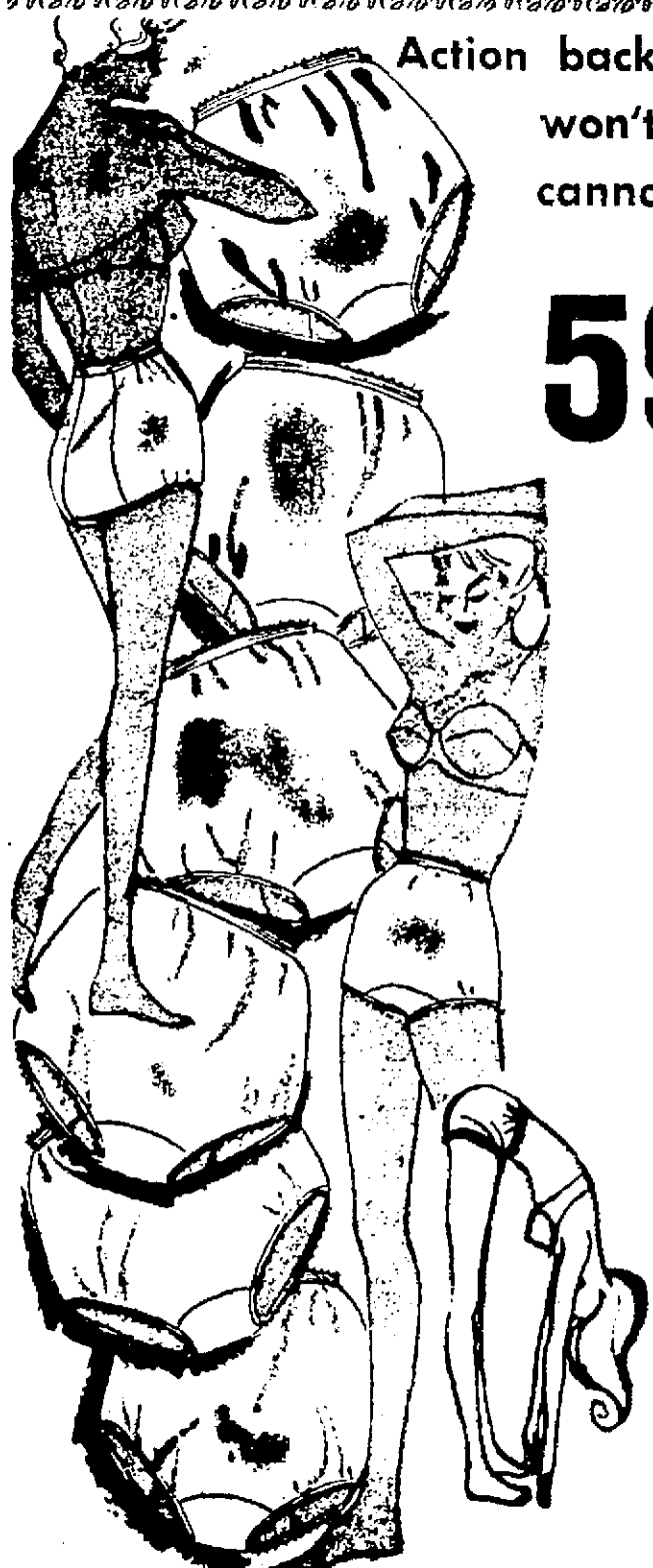
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Peron Accepts Spain's Terms For Residence

MADRID (UPI) — Former speculation, however, he was dictator Juan Peron has traded headed back to Madrid where he his dream of returning to pow-his mansion in the fashionable in Argentina for a comfortable suburb of Puerta de Hierro. ble exile in Spain, the Spanish government announcement government announced Wednesday Peron was free to travel in Spain as long as he kept his day. An Information Ministry word not to engage in political spokesman said the former Ar-activities. gentine president, offered the Peron's decision climaxed a alternative of quitting politics or two-week drama that began leaving Spain within one month, Dec. 2 when he boarded an "accepted the conditions de-bera Airlines plane in Madrid" manded by the Spanish govern-in an attempt to return to ment to authorize him to stay Buenos Aires, in hope his arriv- ing in Spain. "al would spark a revolt and re- A few hours after the an-turn him to power. He had nouncement Peron and his lived in exile in Spain for five young wife, Isabelita, drove years. away in his Mercedes car from! The project failed when the the southern resort of Torre-airliner landed in Rio de Jan- molinos. They told newsmen-eiro and Brazilian officials re- they were driving to Malaga. fused Peron permission to leave Peron's departure prompted the airport.



SANTA'S HELPER—Dennis Binion, 38, is only three feet, 10 inches tall but the kids look up to him. He is a part-time elf in Santa Claus' workshop at an Atlanta, Ga., shopping center. By day he is a tax examiner for the Internal Revenue Service. (AP Photofax)

Woman To Woman

By PATRICIA McCORMACK
NEW YORK (UPI) — The newest question in education: "Why aren't Johnny and Janie writing poetry?" Mary Chase, an American school teacher who now is elementary supervisor at the Frankfurt International School in Germany, presents the case for poetry in a report in the National Education Association Journal.

"The magic of poetry," she says, "has come to me from my students; some of it dictated by first and second graders who could not write the sounds that intrigued them; some by upper elementary students who have begun to realize the power of the written word."

And some of the poetry from junior high school students reflects adolescent reactions to the world around them.

A third grader, for example, turned in this poem titled "Two":

"Two little elves and two little fairies
Took a dance between two little berries.
They danced 'till twelve and quit at one.
I watched them as I sucked my thumb."

"Other teachers ask what I do that makes my students so willing to express their 'troughs in poetry," Miss Chase said. "They wonder how an adolescent lost enough of her protective shell to let anyone know she had thrashed about faith."

The adolescent wrote: "Faith is like a candle given to each man."

"But having the candle, each must find his own match."

Miss Chase said making a specific assignment to write poetry is one of the fastest ways to cause students to develop negative feelings toward it.

"For this reason, I have seldom made such an assignment," she said. "Instead I try to encourage poetry writing by making children poetry-conscious and by giving them every possible chance to write it."

Interestingly, the educator has found it unnecessary to teach poetry to children below the second grade because it is part of them naturally.

The poetry appreciation in them starts to vanish by the third grade, however, and that's when teachers are urged to do all possible to keep the poetry instinct alive.

"One means I use," Miss Chase noted, "is to help them discover it. I show them that poetry belongs to everyone; that it is something to have fun with, something to sing and play games to; something that comes many times by accident."

One winter day Miss Chase was in the middle of an arithmetic class, and she saw out the window the wind whirling across the field faster than she had ever seen it, sending the snow in all directions.

She called the children's attention to it and asked how they felt about it. Several asked permission to stop the arithmetic and write poems. One of the poems that resulted: "When the wind blows the snow along the ground, 'It looks like a forest fire, running wild and out of control."

The writing show facets of the child's personality a teacher or parent might never suspect, Miss Chase said.

If you don't believe it's joyful and fun, try getting your youngsters to write poetry — or just speak it — the next time they're highly excited or out time.

Christmas is a perfect trying-impressed.

NOAH NUMSKULL

DEAR NOAH — DO MOST BOXERS HAVE A SLUGGISH DISPOSITION? MRS. J. R. ECHELBARGER, OTTAWA, OHIO

DEAR NOAH — IF YOU COMPLAIN ABOUT THE HEAT IN THE SUMMER — AT LEAST YOU DON'T HAVE TO SHOVEL IT! HELEN FOND, KEMPEN, PA.

British Festive 'Crackers' To Disgorge Old Jokes

LONDON (UPI) — Soon the festive party "crackers" that are part of the Christmas scene in Britain will disgorge colored paper hats, funny artificial noses, and jokes like this:

Professor: "Can you give me an example of wasted energy?" Pupil: "Yes, sir, telling a hair-raising story to a bald-headed man."

Question: "Why are you scratching yourself?" Answer: "Because no one else knows where I itch."

The jokes are known as "mottos." In Britain, they are as traditional as turkey and as predictable as winter. The older the motto the better, as far as Britons are concerned. Sample:

Mary: "So you told Charlie you loved him after all?" Mary: "I didn't want to but he squeezed it out of me."

This is certain to bring roars of laughter from those assembled at the festive board.

Where do the cracker manufacturers get their jokes? Often they steal from one another.

The great emperor penguin is the only bird in the world that never touches land. It lives its life out on the sea ice of the edge of the Antarctic continent.

and sometimes they simply use old jokes one year and created ed his crackers. the same old jokes over and a new and more cerebral. "That's the last time I'm go- over again. brand of mytoses, with the adding to try to raise the tone." One entrepreneur, Charles of an Oxford professor. Piffard said. "I'll go on using The public summarily reject-the chestnuts."

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By LOUIS CASSELS
WASHINGTON (UPI) — A great social experiment is about to get underway in a rundown, overpopulated section of the nation's capital.

It is one of the first large-scale community action projects to be launched in connection with the "War on Poverty." Its purpose is to demonstrate what can be accomplished by a concerted attack on the causes of dependency and delinquency.

The target area is a teaming inner-city district within a few blocks of Capitol Hill. It is known locally as the Cardozo area, because it surrounds a high school named in honor of the late Supreme Court Justice Benjamin Cardozo. Within its boundaries live about 150,000 persons, most of whom are Negroes of low income and low educational attainment.

The Cardozo area is not the worst city slum in America. But on the melancholy charts which measure the incidence of unemployment and street crime, the number of school dropouts, the prevalence of substandard housing and other indices of poverty, it can hold its own with all but the worst urban ghettos. If poverty can be fought successfully here, it can be licked anywhere.

(1.) It is a joint effort by many different community agencies — public, private, religious and civic. A broadly representative body called the is coordinating the whole pro-

(2) It places heavy emphasis on special educational services designed to help children break out of the pattern of dependency and despair which tends to be handed on from one generation to the next.

The new educational services include five "pre-school centers" at which three-and-four-year-olds will get nourishing meals, proper medical care and the kind of learning experiences (such as playing with

In addition, several schools will remain open until 5 p.m. each day, in order to provide remedial reading classes, individual tutoring, and other help to children of elementary school age.

Project are designed primarily to benefit adults. There will be three "neighborhood development centers" to which a resident of the area may go for free legal help — including assistance in dealing with government red tape that often blocks their access to public welfare services. The neighborhood centers also will operate credit unions and conduct consumer education programs.

Financial aid will be provided to a non-profit organization called "Better Housing Inc." to buy and renovate some of the old buildings in the area which are now cut up into tiny cold-water flats and rented to large families at prices far above their ability to pay. The objective is to help poor families avoid getting into trouble with installment purchases or "easy credit" plans.

Historian Finds Error On Boston Tea Party Table

BOSTON (UPI)—A William College historian has discovered an error on the tablet which for half a century has marked the site of the Boston Tea Party of 1773, it was reported Wednesday.

The Boston Tea Party associates said that Benjamin Wonds Labaree, associate professor of history at William

The organization said that Labaree, who recently wrote a book titled "The Boston Tea Party," was still checking to see if he would be able to announce the correct figure within 10 days. His source is the original box of lading for the three ships.

As soon as Labaree establishes the correct number of chests, the figure on the tab will be revised.

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Tickets for the New Years dance which will be sponsored by Cumberland Lodge 271, Loyal Order of Moose, are now available at the lodge home on Beall Street.

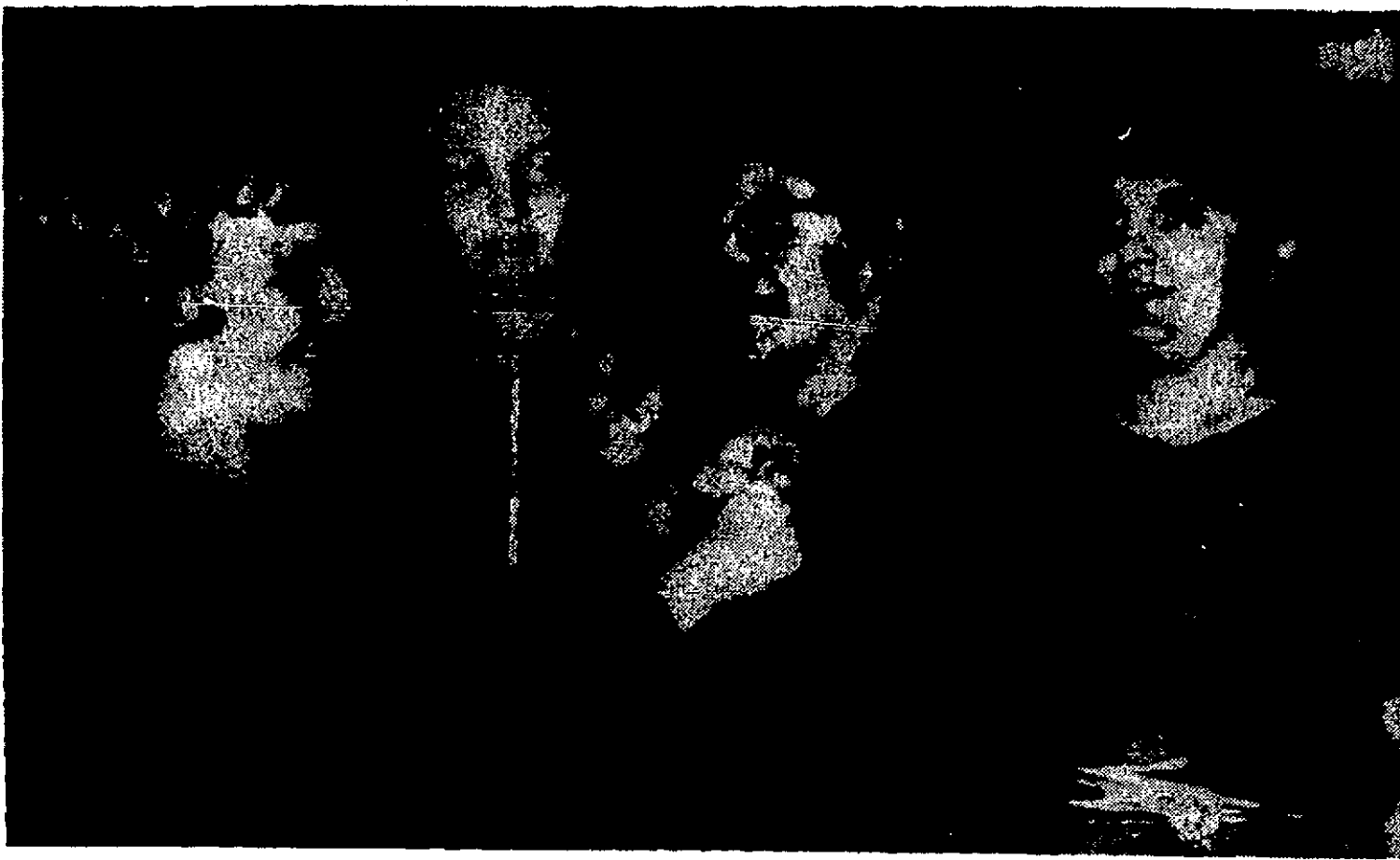
Reservations, which will be limited to 75 couples, may be made until December 26, according to Albert Brant, chairman, who said they may be made by calling PA 2-1188.

The tickets will be sold on the first come, first served basis. The board of officers, which is assisting the chairman, said New Year's hats, favors and noise makers will be provided to those celebrating the arrival of 1965.

Music for dancing will be provided by Freddie Lock and his Keys. The dance will begin at 10 p. m., the committeeman said.

To Present Cantata

The Christmas cantata, "A King Is Given," will be presented at the Pinto Mennonite Church Wednesday at 10 p.m.



CEDARETTES HONOR PAST PRESIDENTS—Mrs. Vivian Carnell, left, president of the local Cedarettes, presents past presidents' pins to Mrs. Leona Horstman, Mrs.

Sarah Rice and Mrs. Charlotte Bierman. Membership pins also were presented to each member at the meeting Wednesday night at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

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New Cantata To Be Sung

The senior choir of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 1601 Frederick Street, will present a Christmas Cantata entitled "A Song Unending" by John W. Peterson at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Services on Sunday.

Miss Carole Reith is the organist and directress. Rev. Vernon I. Naugle, Pastor, will be the narrator. Soloists are William Shinholt, Mrs. Charles Fradiska, Mrs. Arthur Winde-muth, Mrs. John Palmer and Carl Reith.

"A Song Unending," written only five years ago, tells the story of Christmas in modern melodies. It traces the Christmas story, in scripture and song, from the visitation of the angel to Mary through the celebration of the birth of Jesus.

Other members of the senior choir are Miss Edith Crabtree, Mrs. Homer Plummer, Miss Carol Hardman, Mrs. Jacqueline Grapes, Mrs. Janet Friend, Mrs. Leon Schraum, Miss Jean Hale, Mrs. Dorothy Andrews, Mrs. Willa Royce Shinholt, Mrs. Ann-ette Delhaven, Miss Dorothy Meyer, Homer Plummer, William Eichner, John Horchler, Carroll Andrews.

The public is invited.

LaVale Century Club Has Christmas Meeting

The LaVale Century Club held its Christmas meeting Tuesday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the LaVale Methodist Church.

Mrs. William Hoover presided at the brief meeting. Mrs. John Barnoy and Mrs. Paul Stair reported on the success of the fifth annual Christmas Caravan.

Mrs. Raymond Twails Jr.,

program chairman, presented Chad Riley who entertained with Robert Benchley's "An Old Fashioned Christmas." Miss Carole Reith led the Allegory "Musettes" in a medley of Christmas carols including carols from foreign countries. Mrs. Allan Macy led the Century Club Choral group in several Christmas selections.

Mrs. W. Bruce-Long, welfare chairman collected money from members and canned goods from the guests to fill the Christmas baskets delivered to deserving needy families in the area.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Stanley L. Slivak, chairman; Mrs. Lloyd Buchanan, Mrs. George Frick, Mrs. W. Ardell Haines, Mrs. Richard Heacox, Mrs. Kenneth Y. Hodgdon, Mrs. Bernard Howard, Mrs. Eugene V. McCune, and Mrs. Albert Tosh.

Ladies Of Owls To Meet Tonight

The Ladies Order of Owls, Nest 2180, will hold a regular meeting today at 8 p. m. at the Owls Home, 121 Harrison Street.

The group will hold a games party on Saturday nights at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Pauline Kennell, Wellers-burg, Pa., who was injured in an auto accident last month, is recuperating at her home.

Secrets Of Charm

by John Robert Powers

About Surprise Holiday Visits

Holiday time is a pleasant time, and one of its greatest pleasures is visiting with old friends and relatives. But visiting can also be a strain, unless the hostess really knows how to make her guests feel at home.

But as any woman knows, being a top-flight hostess does not just come naturally. It's the result of a powerful lot of thought, thoughtfulness, and, of course, preparation.

The test of the good hostess lies in how well she entertains her unexpected guests. At this time of year, that's one test you can't skip.

It's not enough to be warm and cordial at the door, as you greet your guests. You must

show in a little more tangible fashion that you are glad they came. The smart hostess has a bit of party fixin' on hand for surprise visits. File away a few spur-of-the-moment ideas for light snacks, hors d'oeuvres or tea refreshments. If you see to it that the makings are always in your kitchen, you'll welcome the pull on your latchstring any-time.

When you know guests are coming, plan what you'll serve so that you won't be tied to the kitchen after they arrive. Don't let yourself get flustered.

Your guests are sure to be at ease when you are.

Should unexpected company arrive when the household is in an uproar, explain the situation simply; then forget it—and your guests will love you. But if you keep apologizing for the food, the house, or anything else, you'll make everyone highly uncomfortable. Just keep in mind the fact that the best times often evolve from what seemed at first to be the most impossible situations.

Don't make the mistake of expecting your guests to entertain themselves, however. You know your friends' tastes, and to be a gracious hostess you must play up to them. If they like conversation, keep it rolling. If they enjoy cards, suggest a hand or two. If they like parlor games, get one started. But never impose on unwilling subjects!

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Maplehurst Master Point Play Tonight

The Maplehurst Bridge Club will hold a master point night at 7:45 p.m. today at the Maplehurst Country Club, Frostburg. All bridge players in the area are welcome.

Mrs. Madeline Mewshaw and Mrs. Fred Puderbaugh were first in last week's play at the home of Frostburg Lodge 470, B.P.O. Elks. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Race were second, and Mrs. Russell Barnes and Mrs. John Laughlin third.

There were four tables in play, with Mrs. Mewshaw as director.



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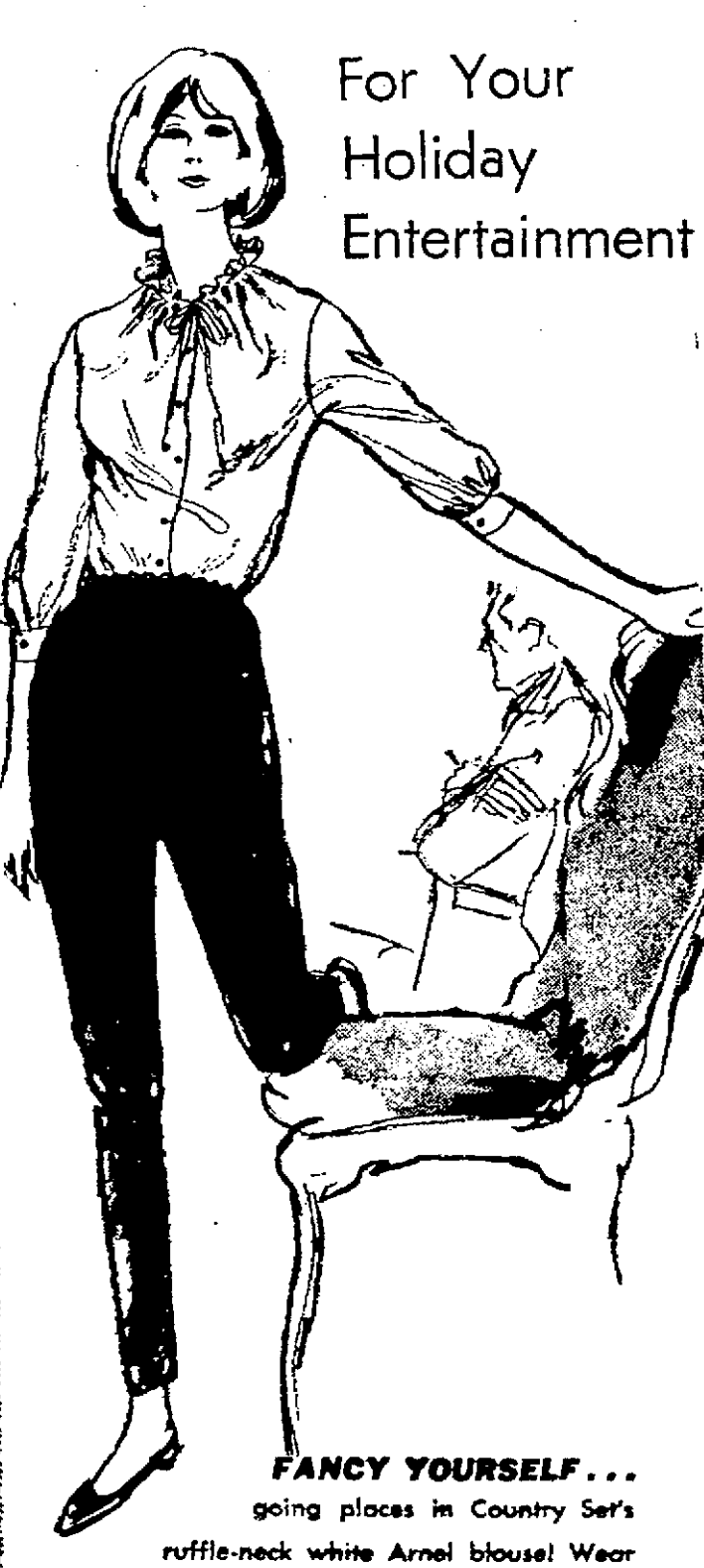
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D. Warner Circle Has Yule Party

The singing of Christmas carols and the exchange of jingle gifts highlighted the December meeting of the Dorothy Warner Circle of Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist Church which was held at the home of Mrs. Dorothea Tucker, LaVale.

The group received a letter from Dorothy Warner, missionary in Okinawa, thanking the women for the donation of Bibles for a young people's study group in Naha, Okinawa. The letter was read by Mrs. Sylvia Hyde during the brief business meeting.

Mrs. Teresa Beal gave the devotion, the topic being from St. Luke, relating about women in the church. Mrs. Madeline Alkire was in charge of the study book—Day Six of "Creation Studies."

A Christmas plant will be placed in the church in honor of Mrs. Sarah Arnold, a shut-in. A sunshine basket will be sent to Mrs. Lula Liller who is ill.

Members present were Mrs. Louise Ice, Miss Virginia Valentine, Mrs. Ada Fletcher, Miss Grace Wright, Mrs. Ethel Johnson, Mrs. Audrey Heavener, Mrs. Pauline Thompson, and Mrs. Alberta Valentine.

Others attending were Mrs. Ethel Lawyer, Miss Donna Turner, Miss Sheree Hyde, Rev. Brook Heavener, Rev. Everett Culp, Marshall Fletcher, William Sisler and William Tucker.

Lambda Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, will hold a Christmas party tomorrow at Bowling Green Fire Company headquarters and jingle gifts will be exchanged. Next meeting of the club will be January 5.



LA VALE FIRE AUXILIARY OFFICERS—Officers of the auxiliary to the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company are shown at their recent installation. Seated, left to right, are Mrs. Bessie Zembower, historian; Mrs. Gladys Burke, treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Zembower, president; Mrs. Oneta Lockary, Bel Air, state president, who installed the officers; Mrs. Elda Schell, secretary; Mrs.

Leola Knieriem, first vice president; standing, Mrs. Leona McClellan, reporter; Mrs. Flo Alexander, auditor; Mrs. Margaret Beck, financial secretary; Mrs. Emma Youngblood, auditor; Mrs. Lelia Lancaster, guard; Mrs. Elizabeth Moody, chaplain, and Mrs. Mildred Beck, auditor. The auxiliary also presented a check for \$500 to the fire company to help finance the company's work.

LaVale Club Has Covered Dish Dinner, Party

A covered dish dinner and Christmas program featured a recent meeting of the LaVale Homemakers held at the LaVale Fire Hall.

Mrs. Dudley Brown played the piano for the singing of Christmas carols and Mrs. Douglas Smith presented a reading. Mrs. T. E. Williamson also read a Christmas poem.

Mrs. Douglas Ferguson, sunshine chairman, gave her report and cards were signed to send to sick members of the club.

It also was announced that a hat workshop will be held January 11 at 11 a.m. at the fire hall. The meeting, which was attended by seven guests, concluded with the singing of Christmas carols.



Fill an apothecary jar with a few glistening tree ornaments and sprigs of evergreen for a holiday accent.

If you are having trouble with the way your clothes fit you, it may just be a matter of posture. A habitual slump can throw any dress out of line.

Ann Landers . . . Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: I am a widow in my sixties and I am going with a widower the same age.

Last Sunday Zeke and I were out for a drive. He suggested going by his home and opening the windows to air the place out. I said, "Fine."

After Zeke opened the windows he sat down on the couch, untied his shoe laces and said, "It's so comfortable here I don't want to move. Why don't you walk home?"

I thought he was joking because we were at least five miles from my house. I laughed and said, "Oh, stop it, Ezekiel." He replied "I'm not kidding" — and took off his shoes. I said good-bye and left.

If you don't think five miles in Cuban heels is exhausting just try it. I arrived home thoroughly done in and half sick.

Two hours later Zeke showed up at my place — furious. He said he never dreamed I'd be that dumb. I asked why he didn't come after me. He said he was sure I was sitting in his car. When he discovered I wasn't, he couldn't find me.

I'd like your opinion on who is the dumb one?

KALAMAZOO
Dear Kalamazoo: It sounds like a tie to me. Now that you know what a nutty sense of humor he has — act accordingly.

Dear Ann Landers: Today our son, Charles, and his girl friend drove off for a weekend together. They are both of age and we could do nothing to stop them.

I prayed that the mother of the girl would step in at the last moment but I'm sure now she considers Charles a good catch and is eager for her daughter to snag him.

We have not been domineering parents. Charles was an excellent student, attended church regularly and never gave us any trouble — until this girl came along.

My husband feels we should ask him to pack his bags when he returns. Charles has a fine position and could afford to live elsewhere. I'm reluctant to do this, but my husband says we must protest immoral behavior.

We'd like your views. — D. C.
Dear D. C.: You say the boy is "of age." Is he 21 or 35?

An extra-marital weekend is out of bounds regardless of age, but that's history now. The question is should you kick him out of the house.

If he's 21 — No. If he's 35 he should have been out long ago. Talk to your clergyman.

Dear Ann Landers: Whenever my mother-in-law comes to our house she wants to feed our 18-month-old son, Bobby doesn't like vegetables. My mother-in-law is determined to "teach him" to like them. She says, "Look, Bobby — Nanna likes carrots." Then she puts a spoonful of carrots into her mouth, using Bobby's spoon. The next spoonful goes into Bobby's mouth — same spoon.

I've asked my husband to speak to his mother about this dirty habit. He says I'm too finicky — that she did the same with her six kids and nobody died.

Am I a crackpot as my husband says? Or should he say something to her? — **BATTLING BERTHA**

Dear Bert: Perhaps your mother-in-law's six children survived in spite of an unhygienic upbringing — an amazing number of kids do.

While most children would not die from sharing Granny's spoon, it is nonetheless an unpleasant habit and if your husband refuses to speak to his mother about it you should.

Hand "Nanna" a second spoon when she feeds Bobby and ask her to please use it.

To solve some of the frustrations, disappointments and disillusionments of married life, send for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "What To Expect From Marriage," enclosing with your request 20c in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope. (Publishers Newspaper Syndicate)

The Mothers Club holiday dance will be held at Ali Ghan Shrine Club tonight from 10 until 1 o'clock with music by the Aristocrats.

Pleasant Valley Club Conducts Christmas Event

The Pleasant Valley Club met Monday night at the home of Mrs. James Davis Jr., Pleasant Valley Road, and a Christmas program featured the evening.

Christmas carols were sung and the story of "Silent Night" was given. The devotion theme for the evening was "The Prophets of Old Telling of the Birth of Christ." The Ten Commandments were read by the president, Mrs. James Davis Sr.

There were 15 present at the meeting, including two guests, Mrs. Pat McCray and Mrs. Hilda Lough, both of Flintstone.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Molly Smith, Pleasant Valley Road, January 11 at 7:30 p. m. Each member is to bring her baby picture and other members will attempt identification.

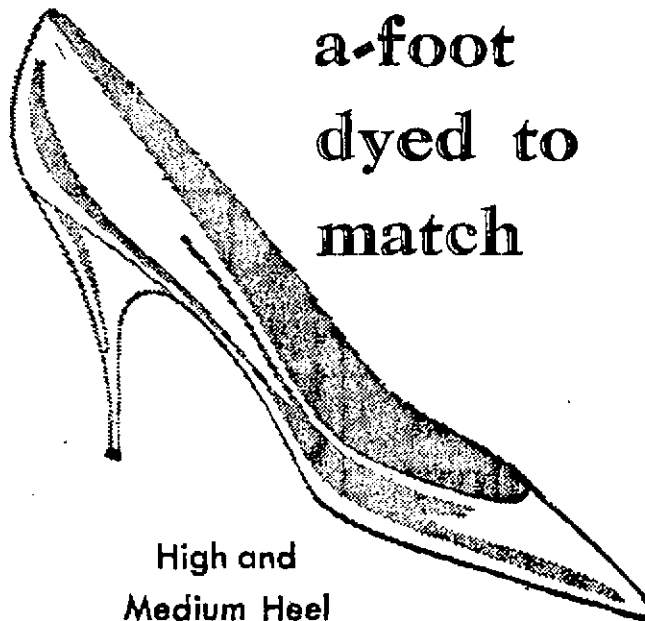
Attention Penn Avenue and Fort Hill Alumni

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Three Circles Hold Combined Meeting

The three circles of the Women's Society of World Service of First Evangelical United Brethren Church ended 1964 with a combined meeting and Christmas program at the church.

"Spending Christmas With Our Spanish-American Neighbors" was the theme of the devotion led by Mrs. Bernice Wolford.

A playlet was presented under the joint direction of Mrs. Ralph

Ismlinger Sr. and Mrs. Whiting Linaburg. The group joined in singing Christmas carols with Mrs. Walter Long as soloist.

A business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Edgar Shoemaker, president. She announced that the depth Bible study would be conducted during the period from January 3 through January 7. The women also voted a \$50 contribution to the Quincy (Pa.)

Orphanage. Collections in the Dollar That Grew Fund have now reached about \$250.

Both the decorations and refreshments were in keeping with the Christmas season. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. George Nixon, Mrs. Thomas Smith and Mrs. Herbert Nesbitt. The next executive meeting of the WSWs will be held on Sunday, January 3.

ABL Rec Club Christmas Dance Planned Tonight

The Christmas dance being sponsored by the Rec Club at Allegany Ballistics Laboratory will be held this evening at the Clary Club.

Richard Christopher, president of the club, said the Robert Hill orchestra of Morgantown will provide music for dancing from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. Santa Claus will make his appearance and award prizes and distribute gifts.

John Joseph Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald William Elliott, 435 National Highway, LaVale, is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

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DEATHS AND FUNERAL NOTICES

DANIEL B. LAYTON
TERRA ALTA, W. Va.—Daniel Layton, 60, of Highland Avenue, died yesterday at Hope Mount Sanitarium.
Born at Tunnelton, he was a son of the late George M. and Elmira (McVicker) Layton. Mr. Layton was a retired maintenance employee for the B&O Railroad and was a member of Rodamer Evangelical United Brethren Church.
Surviving are his widow, Ethel (Lee) Layton; his step-mother, Mrs. Ella (Cline) Layton; five sons, Eric, Eugene and Donald Layton, all of Terra Alta; Jerry Layton, Baltimore, and Ronald Layton, Morgantown; six daughters, Mrs. Edward Teets, Kingwood; Mrs. John Johnson, Fayetteville, N.C.; Mrs. Jerry Wilson, Falls Church, and Linda Granda and Teresa Layton, all at home; a brother, Bradley Layton, Tunnelton; two half sisters, Mrs. Essie Propst, Wheeling, and Mrs. Violet Miller, Grantsville, W. Va.; five half brothers, Walter, Cecil and Everett Layton, all of Tunnelton; Ross Layton, Wheeling, and Howard Layton, Baltimore; two step-brothers, Dallas Layton, Florida, and Roy Layton, Seattle, Wash., and 11 grandchildren.
Services will be conducted Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Pike-Watson Funeral Home by Rev. W. C. Bunson. Burial will be in Terra Alta Cemetery.
The body is at the residence and will be taken to the funeral home at noon Sunday.

CLINTON C. BOYCE
KEYSER — Clinton Clarence Boyce, 80, formerly of here, died Wednesday in Garrett Memorial Hospital, Oakland.
A native of Edinburg, Va., he was a son of the late George and Sarah (Weaver) Boyce.
Surviving are a brother, Harvey Boyce, Deer Park, Md., and some nieces and nephews.
The body is at the Markwood Funeral Home.
Services will be conducted there Saturday at 2 p.m. by Rev. Mildred Floyd, pastor of the Keyser Calvary EUB Church. Interment will be in Queen's Point Cemetery.

BITTINGER INFANT
FROSTBURG—Gary David Bittinger, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bittinger, Baltimore, died Wednesday in Miners Hospital shortly after birth.
Also surviving are the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bittinger, Grantsville, and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sharp, Frostburg.
Graveside services were held yesterday at Rest Lawn Memorial Gardens, LaVale.

NAUGHTON SERVICES
A requiem mass for William H. Naughton, 79, of 225 Frederick Street, who died Wednesday, will be celebrated tomorrow at 9 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.
The body is at the Kight Funeral Home where the rosary will be recited today at 8 p.m.

JOHN R. SHANKS
John Ray Shanks, 70, died in Akron (Ohio) City Hospital. He was a retired employee of the B.F. Goodrich Company, and had resided at 329 Sunnata Avenue.
A native of Blacklick, Ohio, he had resided in Akron since 1919. He was a veteran of World War I, having served as corporal in the 308th Field Signal Battalion in France.
Mr. Shanks was a member of Post 209, American Legion Aerie 555, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the South Street Methodist Church in Akron.
Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margie (Antower) Shanks, and two brothers, G. Otto Shanks of Coolville, Ohio, and Emil Shanks, of Phoenix, Ariz.
A service was held at the George Scott Funeral Home in Tallmadge and interment was in Rose Hill Burial Park.
Among the relatives who attended the funeral service were Mrs. Renzie Flint, Lonaconing, Mr. and Mrs. William Antower and son, Burlington, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Denver Crew and Miss Flora Antower, Parkersburg.

MRS. HUGH KIRKWOOD
FROSTBURG — Mrs. Jean Kirkwood, 64, wife of Hugh Kirkwood, Borden Shaft, died yesterday in Western Maryland Hospital where she had been a patient six months.
Born at Borden Shaft, she was a daughter of the late John and Catherine (Chapman) Fackin. She was a member of Shaft Methodist Church.
Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John Oliver, LaVale; a sister, Mrs. David Middleton, Grantsville, and a brother, John Kirkwood, Aliquippa, Pa.
The body is at the Dursi Funeral Home where friends will be received today from 7 to 9 p.m. and tomorrow from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

MRS. ROBERT SCOTT
THOMAS, W. Va.—Mrs. Maggie Scott, 81, of Pierce, died Wednesday at her home. She had been in ill health several years.
Born at Boyertown, Pa., she was a daughter of the late Joseph and Kathryn (Freed) Jackson. Her husband, Robert Scott, died in 1940.
Surviving are a son, Walter Scott, Pierce; two daughters, Mrs. Inva Painter, Thomas, and Mrs. Elizabeth Helmick, Pierce; nine grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.
The body is at the Duncan Funeral Home where services will be conducted tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. by Rev. John Hungarland, pastor of Thomas Presbyterian Church. Burial will be in Philips Cemetery, Westernport.
The code of laws adopted by the Nez Perce Indians in 1842 was the first written law in Idaho.

MRS. WILLIAM B. STARKEY
LONACONING — Mrs. Etta Starkey, 72, wife of William B. Starkey, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Bittinger.
A native of Garrett County, she was a daughter of the late Noah and Christina (Wernick) Will.
Also surviving are a son, William D. Starkey, Bloomington, Md.; two daughters, Mrs. Carl Bittinger, Lonaconing, and Mrs. Roy Bittinger, Westernport; three sisters, Mrs. Edgar Rounds, Deer Park, W. Va.; Mrs. Louise Park, New Castle, Pa., and Mrs. Lilly O'Haver, Morgantown; 19 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.
The body is at the Eichhorn Funeral Home where the family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.
Services will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church by Rev. Charles Fussell and interment will be in Greens Cemetery.

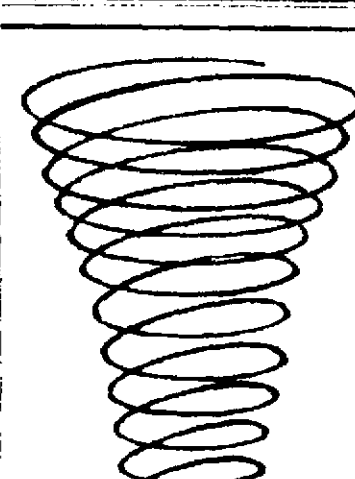
DAVID T. ADAMS
FROSTBURG—David T. Adams, 75, of 53 West Mechanic Street, died Wednesday at Sylvan Retreat.
Mr. Adams was born in Scotland. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, the Knights of Malta, and the Quarter-Century Club of Columbia Gas of Maryland, Inc.
Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Annie (Johnstone) Adams; four sons, Henry G. Adams, Cumberland; William J. Adams, Mt. Savage, and David T. Adams Jr. and James G. Adams, both of Frostburg; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Spear, Washington; Mrs. George Hersick, Midland, and Mrs. Clarence Muir, Frostburg; a sister, Mrs. Mary Telford, Scotland; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.
The body is at the Hafer Funeral Home, 60 West Main Street, where the family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.
Services will be conducted tomorrow at 2 p.m. at the funeral home by Rev. Emmett Goetschius. Burial will be in Frostburg Memorial Park.

MRS. MATTHEW SKIDMORE
FROSTBURG — Mrs. Mary M. Skidmore, 237 East Main Street, died yesterday at her home.
A native of Frostburg, she was a daughter of Mrs. Emma (Metzger) Cronly, Frostburg, and the late Charles Cronly and was the widow of Matthew Skidmore.
Also surviving is a sister, Mrs. George E. Michael, LaVale.
The body will be at the Hafer Funeral Home, 60 West Main Street, where friends will be received tomorrow from 3 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m., and Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.



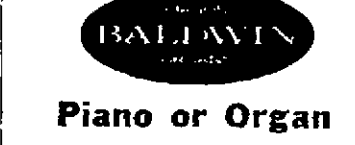
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Guevara Flies Home
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To Climb Kangru
TOKYO (AP) — Seven Japanese women mountain climbers will tackle 23,130-ft. Kangru in the Nepalese Himalayas next spring with help from about 70 porters, the Edelweiss Alpini Club announced.
Several months after he left the Presidency in 1977, George Washington wrote that for the first time in 20 years he and Martha were sitting down to dinner alone.

Marriage Licenses
John Amedeo Beltrami, Box 325, Hooversville, Pa., and Verda Mae Ream, RD 3, Somerset, Pa., Samuel Sheridan Broadwater, 636 Shriver Avenue, and Phyllis May Lee, Nikep.
Stephen Lee Diehl, 998 McMullen Highway, and Nancy Louise Bennett, Cresaptown.
Terry Lee Childers, Box 91, Riddlesburg, Pa., and Helen Joyce Price, RD 3, Everett, Pa.
Thomas Beagle Cessna, RD 1, Belford, Pa., and Sandra Kay Cook, Fishertown, Pa.
Samuel Lee Brant, RD 3, and Kay Ann Smith, Cumberland Street, both Berlin, Pa.
Arnold Eugene Zirk, 27 Potomac Street, Ridgeley, and Donna Louise Himes, 5 Millenberger Street.

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ZAGREB, Yugoslavia (AP) — The Zagreb Opera has signed for a tour of Japan next Aug. 29, Oct. 11 with works by Slavic composers staged by a company of 180 plus a Japanese radio orchestra conducted by Dr. Milan Horvat and Lovro Maticec.

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They Have A Point
JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A wayward bus — London doubledecker type, red and cream paint job — was found 100 miles from home at Klerksdorp three days after vanishing from a downtown terminal. The bewildered city transport manager, G. Roy, theorized it was taken by someone who did not have the money for a train or taxi. A newspaper commented: "This would never have happened if the municipalities are reduced to one in a million of reaching maturity."

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WITNESS MISSING — Senate Rules Committee investigators are trying to locate insurance agent Don B. Reynolds (above), key witness in an alleged political payoff involving Bobby Baker, Chairman, Everett Jordan, D-N.C., said a subpoena has been issued for Reynolds, of Silver Spring, Md.

TO GLOW AT FESTIVAL — Crowned "Queen of Light," Margit Ekstrom, 18, will reign at an annual festival Dec. 13 in Chicago. Miss Ekstrom was born in Ljungby, Smaland, Sweden.

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Hearings Completed

CRACOW, Poland (UPI)—A West German war crimes court headed back to Frankfurt Thursday. It spent three days in Poland for on-the-spot hearings at the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camps.

Prosecutor Joachim Kuegler said the visit had turned up new evidence against several of 20 defendants on trial for helping kill millions of Jews at the Nazi death factory.

G. William Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Harrison, 508 Beall Street, has been named executive vice president of MB Electronics, a division of Textron Electronics, Inc., according to an announcement by Charles D. Brown, MB president.

Mr. Harrison previously was president of Allegany Instrument Company which was merged with MB last month. Allegany Instrument Company is moving its operations to New Haven, Conn., and expects to complete the transfer by spring.

Mr. Harrison received a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering in 1946 from Tri-State College, Angola, Ind. His studies were interrupted by World War 2 during which he served as aerial radio operator in the Air Force.

Returning here in 1947, he became assistant superintendent of the instrument department of Allegany Ballistics Laboratory, a facility operated by the Navy for Hercules Powder Company.

In 1952, he was a member of the group that left ABL to form a new organization, Allegany Instrument Company, becoming vice president and chief engineer. Following its acquisition by Textron Electronics, Inc., Mr. Harrison was named president of the instrument company in 1963.

He is a member of the American Rocket Society, Instrument Society of America and the Society for Experimental Stress Analysis.

Mr. Harrison is married to the former Bonnie Jean Powers of Angola, and they have three children, Linda, 17; Bonnie, 15, and George, 6. The family will relocate soon in the New Haven area.

GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
(c. 1964) By The Chicago Tribune
Both vulnerable, West deals.

NORTH
♠ Q J 6 5
♥ 5 2
♦ Q 7 5 4
♣ 8 6 3

WEST
♠ 9 7 2
♥ A 7 4
♦ A J 3
♣ A K 7 5

EAST
♠ 4
♥ J 10 8 6 5 3
♦ K Q
♣ Q J 9

SOUTH
♠ A K 10 8 3
♥ K Q
♦ K 10 6
♣ 10 4 2

The bidding:
West North East South
1 NT Pass 2 ♣
Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: King of ♣
By taking an inventory of his opponents' assets, South uncovered the rather unnatural play required to bring home his two spade contracts.

East displayed an excessive streak of timidity during the auction. Altho his holding contains only four high card points, the distribution is attractive and rates to produce several tricks opposite partner's no trump bid. East should be extremely reluctant to sell out so cheaply to the opposition. Observe that East and West can, in fact, score a game in hearts, thanks to the favorable position of the cards.

West opened the king of clubs and East signaled with the queen, which — according to convention — commands partner to underlead the ace on

the next round. It is obvious that this play should not be made unless the player has the jack as well. West dutifully continued with a small club and East held the trick with the jack.

The shift was to the jack of hearts covered by declarer's queen and West's ace. The latter cashed the ace of clubs and exited with a heart. South was in with the king, and he proceeded to draw trumps in three rounds ending up in his hand.

The fate of the contract now hinged on how declarer handled the diamonds, for he must restrict his loss to one trick in that suit. The normal procedure would be to lead out to the dummy's queen with the intention of finessing the ten on the return, hoping that East held the jack of diamonds.

However, East had already shown up with four points in hearts and clubs, and West appeared to be marked with all of the remaining high cards — including the jack of diamonds — to account for the 16 points indicated by an opening bid of one no trump. South accordingly decided to make a somewhat unnatural play in diamonds.

He led the king from his hand to drive out West's ace. In order to avoid giving declarer a ruff and discard, West returned a small diamond. South ducked the lead around to his ten which won the trick, enabling him to claim his contract.

Some 60 glaciers remain in Glacier National Park. But they are ice cubes compared with the half-mile-deep icefields that once covered all but the highest peaks of the Rockies.

The male ostrich incubates the eggs, not the female. A number of females lay their eggs in one nest, for a single male to incubate.

Local Church Plans Cantata

The Sanctuary Choir of Living Stone Church of the Brethren will present a gospel cantata rededication Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

The cantata, "The Birthday of the King," is directed by Miss Mary Lou Appel. Soloists are Denny Hockman, "Rise Up, Shepherds, and Follow," Mrs. Margaret Chaney, "There's a Song in the Air," Mrs. Tina Copeland, "The Birthday of the King."

The Nativity scene and play will be directed by Mrs. Shirley Weber. Narrator will be William Taylor. William Sulser will portray the innkeeper; Miss Linda Riggelman, wife; Miss Janet McDonald, Lucia; Miss Mary Williams, angel; Gary Cooper, Joseph; Wilda Armentrout, Mary; Gary Hull, Ronnie Sulser, Dale VanMeter and George Garlitz, shepherds.

Organists are Miss Carolyn Cooper and Miss Delores McDonald.

He is an altar boy at St. Peter and Paul Church, and a member of the Order of the Arrow, an honorary group of experienced campers. To join this organization, a Scout must be voted in by members of his troop.

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The 15 most populous areas in the nation are New York, Los Angeles, Long Beach, Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, Boston, San Francisco, Oakland, Pittsburgh, Washington, St. Louis, Cleveland, Baltimore, Newark, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Buffalo.

Robert Storer Presented With Eagle Scout Award

The highest rank in Scouting—Eagle Scout — was presented to Robert Storer, 210 Wallace Street, during a Court of Honor Wednesday at Centre Street Church.

Storer, a member of Troop 4, sponsored by Centre Street Church, is a junior at Allegany High School and participates in the school choir, Glee Club, Gentlemen Songsters (school vocal group), and is homeroom representative for the Junior Class.

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COLOMBO, Ceylon (UPI)—Governor-General William Gopallawa announced Thursday that parliamentary elections will be held on March 22. The present parliament was dissolved when the premier, Mrs. Sirimavo Bandaranaike, lost a vote of confidence.

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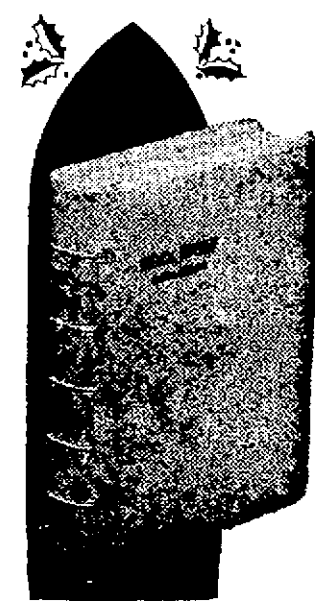
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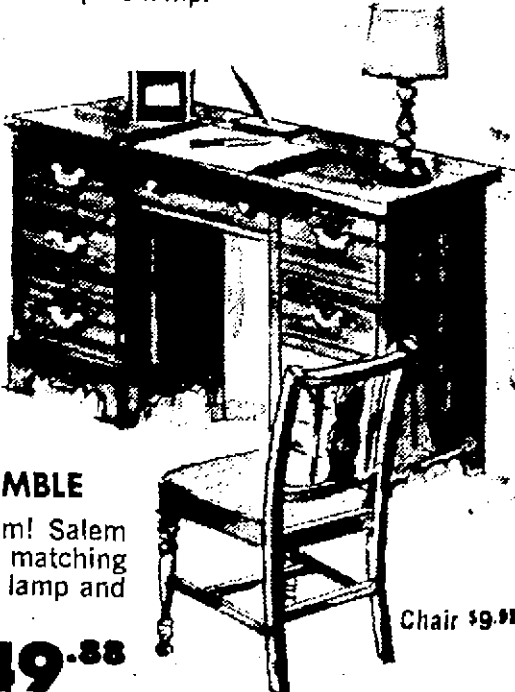


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Building Fund Is Started For Feters Family

The Allegany County Chapter of the American Red Cross has authorized to act as a co-ordinating agency for a building fund to aid the family of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Feters whose Corri- gnanville home was destroyed by fire which took the lives of four of their children Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest A. Lindsay, execu- tive secretary of the local chap- ter, said monetary donations or material for the building of a new home can be made to the Red Cross. Checks should be made payable to the "Feters Building Fund" and mailed or taken to the American Red Cross headquar- ters, Post Office Building, Cum- berland.

The surviving five children were purchased clothing by the Red Cross and Mrs. Lindsay said additional help will be forthcom- ing as long as the emergency exists.

Meanwhile, students at Mil- lenson's Junior-Senior High School are responding heavily to a plea made by William Robertson, a math teacher, who last year con- ceived the idea of erecting a Christmas tree in the school lobby and had students trim it with mittens. The mittens were then distributed to needy families in the neighborhood.

When the tragedy struck at Corri- gnanville, students were asked to bring in food, clothing or cash for the tree which was re- named the "Feters Tree."

Helping to spearhead the move- ment were Shirley Hook and Polly Carter, juniors at the school and also members of the Junior Red Cross. They are classmates of 16-year-old Darlene Feters who suffered second and third-degree burns in the fire and remains in serious condition at Sacred Heart Hospital. Attaches reported, how- ever, that Miss Feters had a "good night."

Kendrick Hodgdon, Mt. Savage principal, reported that the tree is loaded with clothing and "a station wagon load of food has been placed under the tree." Mr. Hodgdon said that teachers also have been generous in cash con- tributions, approximately \$100 hav- ing already been realized.

Two of the other surviving Fel- ter children are also students at the school, John being a member of the sophomore class and Ronnie a seventh grader.

Meanwhile, plans have been made for a mass service today at the Silcox Funeral Service on Decatur Street for the four young sisters who perished in the early-morning flames. The dead are Paula Jane, 8; Dorothy Louise, 7; Clara Faye, 3, and Deborah Kay, 2.

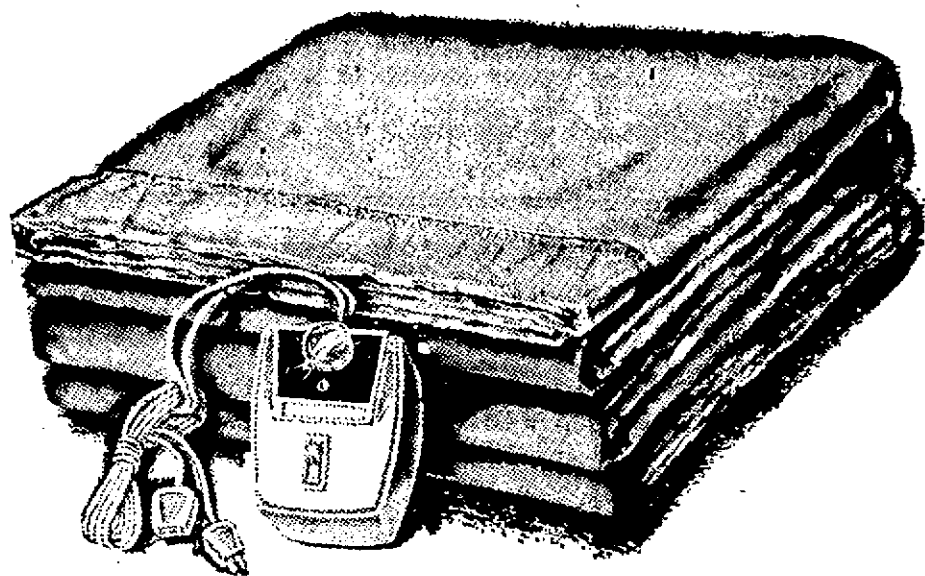
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JAMES B. WIGGER

Wigger Ends PE Service

James B. Wigger, a veteran of 42 years of service as a "trouble shooter" for the Potomac Edison Company in its Cumberland Dis- trict, has retired.

Mr. Wigger began his career as a line helper with the PE here on November 15, 1922.

In 1929 he was advanced to utility man, a position which he held until his retirement. One of his many duties was repair work on the downtown street lighting and traffic signal circuits.

Mr. Wigger and his wife, Bes- sie, reside at 1317 Kentucky Ave- nue. They have one daughter and four grandchildren.

Third Order Sets Meeting

The Third Order of St. Francis will meet Sunday with instructions for candidates and novices at 3 p. m. in SS. Peter and Paul School.

This will be followed by com- munity services in the church at 3:30 p. m.

Rev. Angeles Shaughnessey, OFM, Cap., Pittsburgh, commis- sary provincial of the Third Or- der for the Eastern Province of Capuchin Fathers, will conduct the annual visitation Sunday and will speak at the services.

Rev. Sylvan Fondriest, OFM, Cap., local director of the Third Order, will conduct the service at 3:30 p. m.

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To Hold Yule Party

The Corri- gnanville Volunteer Fire Company will hold its an- nual Christmas party for the chil- dren of the community Sunday at 1 p. m. in the fire hall. "Santa" will distribute treats to each child attending the party.

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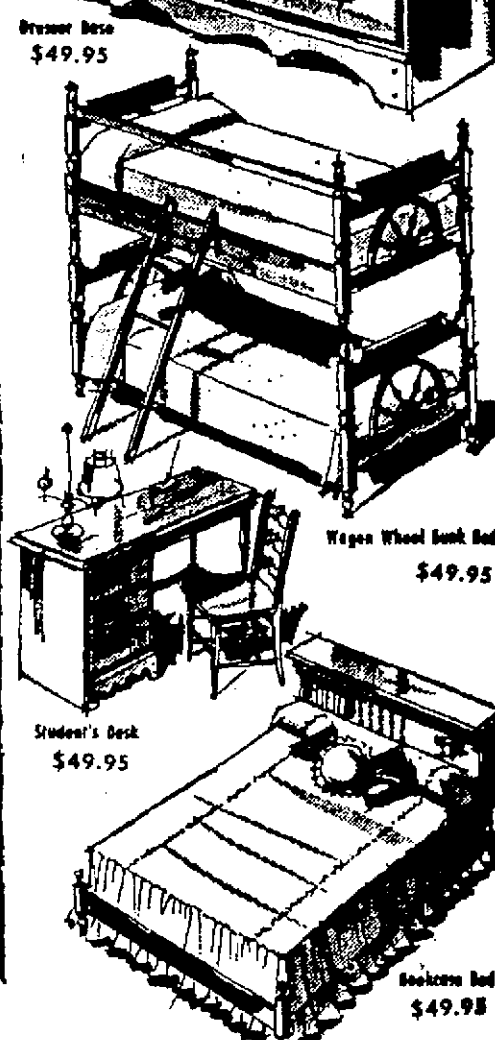
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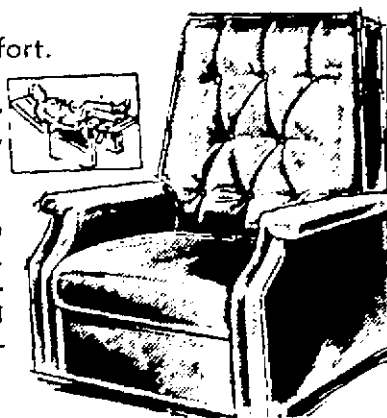
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Davis Memorial Church To Give Christmas Play

"A Child Shall Lead Them," a three-act Christmas play, will be presented Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in Davis Memorial Methodist Church, according to Rev. Charles V. Starkey, pastor.

The play is sponsored by the Methodist Youth Fellowship. Members of the cast include John O'Baker, Beatrice White, Linda Shevbridge, Claudia Durst, Buddy Starkey, Gary Silber, Lonna Schweninger, Danny White, and Cindy Clem.

The children's program will be held Wednesday, December 23, at 7:30 p.m. Music and recitations will be featured. A pantomime and dramatic reading, "The Meaning of Christmas," will conclude the program.

Participating in the reading will be Michael McKay, Becky Nixon, Darlene Rowley, Gene Jolley, Danny White, Mark Rowley, Rena Bell Irons, Harold Starkey, Brenda Shroot, Pam Hendrickson, Greg Walker, Kathleen Wright, Linda Zimmerman, Cindy Clem and Debra Shore.

A Christmas candlelight service is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve.

A Watch Night service will be held Thursday, December 31, from 11 p.m. to midnight. A social period beginning at 9 p.m. will precede the service.

Church Youth Plan Program

The primary and youth departments of First Evangelical United Brethren Church, Fourth and Race streets, will present a Christmas program Sunday at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Greetings and recitations will be given by 27 members of the primary group. Carols will be sung by the nursery and kindergarten classes with Mrs. Herbert Nesbitt at the piano.

The youth department will present a play entitled "To All People." Characters will be portrayed by Mike Valentine, Judy Murphy, Ginger Murphy, Steve Wolford, David Weaver, April Sue Redhead, Kenny Wilson, Johnny Isminger, Sharon Goss, Diane Smith, Debbie Weaver, Jeanette Linbaugh and Pat Davis. The play is under the direction of Miss Charlotte Wolford and John Murphy.

The evening is being designated as "Christmas Family Night." Following the program a social hour will be held Santa Claus appearing to present a treat to each child present. Refreshments will be served and all members and friends are invited to attend.

Farm Offices Consolidated

Four of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Maryland state offices are now housed together in the new Hartwick Building at College Park, said Edward R. Keil, chairman of the USDA's state administrative committee.

He said the purpose of the consolidation is to increase efficiency in the department's services to farmers and city people.

Among the four offices are the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service with local offices at 126 Union Street; Soil Conservation Service with offices at Room 1, Post Office Building; and the Farmers Home Administration with offices in Oakland.

Two of the state offices were located in Baltimore and two on the campus at the University of Maryland. Many of the county offices of these agencies in Maryland are already located together and others are planning to consolidate.

Army Enlistees To Get Yule Leave

Local young men who enlist in the Army now will not leave for basic training until after Christmas, said Sfc. R. L. Hartman, local recruiter.

The enlistee will actually go on the Army payroll the day he signs up but does not have to report to his first duty station until after the holidays.

This leave policy is available for young ladies as well as prior-service personnel. More information may be obtained by calling the recruiter's office at 722-8600.

Yule Play Planned By Church Groups

The primary, junior and senior groups of The First Church of God, Delaware Avenue, will present a Christmas program, "A Christmas Stranger," on Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. M. J. King, pastor, said the public is invited to attend the program.

Mine May Reopen

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The Real de Catorce mines in San Luis Potosi, producers of 25 million pounds of silver with the primitive prerevolutionary methods of 1765-1812, may be reopened next year and worked with modern equipment, reports President Jose A. Garcia of the Mexican Mining Industry Chamber.

Civil Service Seeks Applicants For Registrar

The Allegany County Civil Service Commission is advertising for applicants for the position as registrar for the County Board of Election Supervisors.

John R. Kelly, Democratic registrar and chief clerk, has announced plans to retire effective January 1.

Applications will be accepted by Mrs. Joan S. Butke, secretary to the commission, until 3 p.m. Monday, December 28. Applicants must have registered Democratic two years prior to appointment; must be between the ages of 23 and 65, have a high school education or its equivalent, three years previous office experience, no criminal record and knowledge of typing and general office procedure.

4 W. Va. Tech Players Hurt In Car Crash

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI) — Four members of the West Virginia Tech junior varsity basketball team and a student coach were among eight persons injured in a four car pile-up on U. S. 60 near here Thursday.

Officials reported, however that traveling from Montgomery to Huntington for a game with the Marshall University freshman squad when the station wagon in which they were riding spun out of control on the rain-slick road and crashed into the opposite line of traffic.

The injured included: — Joe Beatty of Wheaton, Md., mild concussion, cuts and abrasions.

— Gary Whitlington, Charleston, multiple cuts and abrasions.

— Dick Cobb, Saint Albans, two broken fingers and possible ankle fracture.

— Don Davis, Poca, laceration of the forehead.

— Don Lahoda, St. Albans, the driver of the station wagon, knee injury.

The three other drivers were Blaine Gullett, Portsmouth, Ohio, not serious injured; Mrs. John M. Champe, Charleston, facial cuts, and Linda Kelly, Longacre, Fayette County, not seriously injured. Miss Kelly's mother was thrown through the windshield but was not believed seriously injured.

To Be On TV

Troy Abe, six-year-old son of Mrs. Jo Anna Abe, 9C Jane Frazier Village, as a result of winning a contest, will appear on the Ranger Hal Show Saturday morning. The show was taped last week at the WTOP-TV studio in Washington.

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Rubber Workers Plan Yule Party For Children

Local 26, Rubber Workers Union, will hold its annual Christmas party for the children Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. in All Ghana Shrine Country Club.

The party is being held for members of the union and their families and up to 1,400 persons are expected to attend.

Plans are in charge of the entertainment committee headed by Paul Shook.

The entertainment program will include movies, a program by the Steckman Dance Studio and a visit from Santa Claus, who will distribute treats to the children.

Local 26 will hold a regular membership meeting Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the union hall. Business will include the reading of proposed changes in the by-laws. The education committee will show a film, "Arbitration in Action," Saturday at 8:30 p.m. in the union hall.

Fulton Myers Post Will Man Kettle Downtown Today

For the first time members of Fulton Myers Post 153, American Legion, will man the Salvation Army kettle house on Baltimore Street today.

Major Ben R. Jones said last night that 16 members of the post located across the street from the Salvation Army Citadel have volunteered to solicit Christmas cheer funds.

Members of Girl Scout Troop 120 will sing carols from 6 to 9 p.m. today at the kettle located at Searstown.

Volunteer workers will assist in packing and delivering Christmas baskets from Monday through Thursday next week. Some 370 baskets will be packed. Persons interesting in volunteering their assistance in this packing project should call PA 2-2781.

Loan Approved

The West Virginia State Industrial Development Authority has approved a loan of \$250,000 to Parsons Forest Industries, Inc., Parsons.

No Bids Received On Hotel Property

The Maryland Hotel property at Baltimore and Mechanic streets was not sold yesterday afternoon in front of the Court House because no bids were received above the announced minimum of \$34,000.

This property has been owned by members of the Cavanaugh family since 1901. The most recent owner, Mrs. Frances B. Cavanaugh, died some time ago. Her daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Mary H. Cuba and Paul Cuba, as executors of her estate, advertised the property for sale but reserved the right to refuse to accept any and all bids.

Hutzell Takes Oath As New Magistrate

John R. Hutzell yesterday received his oath of office from Raymond W. Walker, a deputy clerk of Allegany County Circuit Court, as the new trial magistrate for Mt. Savage.

Mr. Hutzell was appointed last week by Governor J. Millard Tawes as the successor to the late Thomas E. Stephens.

Youth To Get Hearing In Wallet Thefts

City police said yesterday that a 16-year-old South Cumberland youth who was arrested in connection with the theft of a billfold from an office at Sacred Heart Hospital has admitted taking two other wallets from employees of a local store.

Police Detective Captain James E. Van, who questioned the youth yesterday, said he was released in the custody of his parents and will be given a hearing in Juvenile Court. The date for the hearing is expected to be set today.

The youth was arrested by City Police Detective Kenneth Morrissey after Miss Susan Krampf, of 463 Columbia Street, reported the billfold missing after returning to the office she had left only minutes before.

Man Is Taken To Penitentiary

Howard Ray Bowers, 36, of 37 Offutt Street, yesterday was transported to the Maryland Penitentiary by Deputy Sheriff William E. "Scotty" Orr to begin a five-year sentence in a morals charge involving a 14-year-old girl.

Bowers was sentenced December 9 by Associate Judge Harold E. Naughton in Allegany County Circuit Court.

Total Eclipse Of Moon Will Occur Tonight

The third total eclipse of the moon within a year, which will begin at 7:01 p. m. today, should be visible to the unaided eye if clouds don't cover the moon.

The eclipse isn't expected to be noticeable until almost an hour after it starts. The moon will be totally in the earth's shadow for exactly an hour—from 9:07 to 10:07 p. m.

Astronomers will be watching to see how brightly the moon shines during totality. Normally it is dull and coppery, but in the two most recent eclipses it was almost entirely invisible to the naked eye because of large amounts of high-altitude dust in the atmosphere from volcanic eruptions.

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When Is A Class Not A Class?

The Soviet Union has built a 19,860-ton luxury ocean liner that its captain calls "a classless ship." The ship has no first class section, no cabin class, no second class, no third class, and no tourist class.

It has class of a sort but no classes. The man and his wife on the top deck may have a parlor, bedroom and bath, but they are no better off, really, than the couple two decks below the waterline who share a 10x6 cabin with A and B bunks (no upper and lower bunks in the Soviet Union, wouldn't you know?), and wash basin.

But the fact is that cruises by the vessel will be classless in name only. Those with the mostest will know perfectly well who those with the leastest are. They generally will not be prepared to allow the classless tag to be tied to their companionship.

Russian comrades in the 1,000-ruble top deck suite will promenade along with comrades who dwell for 100 rubles in the third deck down. And that's about as far as the classless motif will go.

But such class differences as may exist aboard the ship are small indeed when compared to the gulf between the lowest-paying passengers and the great mass of the Russian people, whose only chance for any kind of cruise is to join the Soviet Navy.

These Days

By John Chamberlain

The Hall Of Innocents

That bazooka-launched rocket which the anti-Castro Cubans fired at the UN building in Manhattan in hopes of interrupting the speech of their mortal enemy, Che Guevara, fell in the East River not too far away from the King Features office where this column emanates. This is bringing the Cuban struggle close to home and gives one a better frame of reference, as the scholars say. One cannot, of course, commend this sort of violence. Nevertheless, the anger of the anti-Castro Cubans is thoroughly justified. The only thing that Che Guevara understands is the language of direct action.

If the rocket had landed on Guevara's head it would have given him a bit of the medicine which he has been prescribing in large doses for practically every non-Communist individual in Latin America. Speaking before the UN General Assembly, in what can only be called the Hall of the Innocents, Guevara had the unmitigated gall to say that Cuba's support of the Communist underground in Caribbean countries is purely "moral." But even as Guevara was lying through his teeth the Castro Committee for Solidarity with Venezuela was busy pushing its own grenade and bazooka campaign to overturn the Venezuelan government. Terrorist tactics, supported from Havana, have been disturbing the peace all autumn in Venezuela. Here is a partial list of "incidents":

On October 8, four high voltage towers were wrecked in the Venezuelan state of Trujillo, at a loss of millions of dollars. On October 13, an oil pipeline east of Caracas, belonging to Socony Mobil, was blown up. On October 15, fourteen hand grenades were tossed into the home of Eliashiv Ben Hurin, the Israeli Ambassador to Venezuela. On October 21, a U.S. tire factory was burned in Caracas by terrorists. On October 23, a Coca-Cola factory was burned. On October 28, saboteurs set fire to \$111,000 worth of oil belonging to the U.S.-owned Mene Grande Oil Company. On October 31, FALN guerrillas (who have been getting arms from Cuba either directly or by way of British Guiana) attacked the town of Guacico in the state of Lara, stole arms and clothing, and escaped to the mountains. Two days later, on November 2, the guerrillas struck the town of La Aparicion in Lara. The attack was identical to the one on Guacico.

The Citizens' Committee for a Free Cuba, which keeps close track of Havana-provoked incidents all over Latin America, can supply long lists of Communist terrorist activities in Colombia, Guatemala, and even in Mexico and Puerto Rico, that are very similar to what has been happening in Venezuela.

The anti-Castro rocket that fell into the East River a hundred yards short of its UN target pales into insignificance when it is set up against some of the incendiaryism that the inebriate Che Guevara has inspired and materially supported.

The Castroite "moral support" of Latin American subversion begins with the training of native Colombian, Venezuelan, and Panamanian guerrillas in instruction camps at Las Mercedes, Minas del Frio, and San Lorenzo in Cuba itself. In late October and early November, 250 of the underground operators (trained in these camps) were taken by Soviet trucks to the ports of Mariel and La Fe and shipped in "fishing vessels" to points off the coasts of Central and South America. Fast launches took them ashore. The "fishing vessels" used in the business belong to the fleet that is supposedly making "peaceful oceanographic studies" of the Caribbean and the Gulf of Mexico. A Costa Rican, Carlos Perez, who was trained in Cuba, defected and spilled the beans about the infiltration tactics of the saboteurs to a Costa Rican newspaper, Prensa Libre.

So how do you like it? Che Guevara is given the police protection of New York's finest while he is busy telling lies about Cuban policy toward the rest of Latin America. Meanwhile, in Venezuela, innocent men are dying because they happen to get in the way of the Cuban-supported FALN arsonists and bomb planters. No, the anti-Castro Cubans should not be encouraged to fire rockets at the UN. But we should be able to sympathize with them in their frustrations. And, in sympathizing, couldn't we contrive to look the other way when they use American soil to prepare attacks on Cuba itself?

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Destined For Burial Under A Dam?



Welding The Republican Party Together Again

By David Lawrence

WASHINGTON — Senator Barry Goldwater regards the fight to remove Dean Burch as national chairman of the Republican Party as a move to repudiate not only the Republican Presidential nominee but also all those who worked for him in the recent election campaign.

The Arizona Senator, in an interview published this week in "U. S. News & World Report," was asked what is behind the fight against Mr. Burch. Mr. Goldwater said:

"Let's face it — a vote of 'no confidence' would be aimed right at me, and at millions of people who have been working their hearts out in this party for what they believe in."

This view has been corroborated unwittingly by Governor William W. Scranton of Pennsylvania, who, in a speech a few days ago in New York, said with reference to the removal of Mr. Burch as national chairman:

"The unhappy impression is abroad in the land today that the Republican Party has tended toward a policy of exclusion, rather than inclusion. At this time and in this context of exclusion, I would favor replacing the national chairman even if he agreed absolutely and completely with me on every issue, on every philosophical detail. Whether he is a conservative or a liberal or a moderate or a right-handed fiddle player, the national chairman must step down because that's the only way we can begin to say to Americans that we truly want to become a broad-based, majority party."

But Mr. Burch himself, in an interview on Saturday with the United Press International, pointed out that the effort to remove him is really aimed also at Senator Goldwater. Mr. Burch said:

"The question is whether the party can afford to read Barry Goldwater out of it. . . . The question is whether forcing Goldwater and me into a corner is the way to win elections."

Mr. Burch said he would consider standing aside "at such time as they start including Goldwater in conferences on how the party is to be put together, and they, too, are willing to listen to reason."

But the split in the Republican Party is far from being repaired. Mr. Goldwater gives no sign of retreating or surrendering on policies or viewpoints which he has expressed. He feels that he was beaten not entirely by the Democrats, but by fellow Republicans. He declared in the magazine interview:

"Now, the reasons for the loss

of the campaign go way past him (Dean Burch). He just happens to be the man who was chairman. He's been doing a fine job, and he should be given the chance to show what he can really do, with a little time to do it."

"Frankly, I think that I was beaten July 15. . . . The events leading up to the convention — not the convention itself, but the culmination, when Rockefeller and George Romney — not Scranton so much, because Scranton pitched in — when they refused to back the ticket, except by voice in Rockefeller's case, I think that made it virtually impossible for

Inside Washington

By Henry Cathcart

SOME FINAL ELECTION FIGURES—The final figures on the Presidential election are interesting. The nation-wide total was a bare 175,000 over the 1960 balloting, even though the District of Columbia, casting its first presidential vote in more than a hundred years, contributed 196,000 votes.

In other words, on a comparable basis, the 1964 presidential voting was actually lower than 1960.

Of even greater significance, despite the lower comparable vote nationally, the 11 states that comprise the "Old South," cast 1.8 million more votes in 1964 than they did four years earlier.

Only California, Maryland, Minnesota and New Jersey, of the non-South states, increased their balloting.

NEW NAME—A new name moving into a position of power in the White House inner circle is that of John W. Macy. Macy is chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, and a Kennedy appointee.

Currently he has been detached from his post to head President Johnson's hunt for top quality talent to fill high political posts in his administration.

Cabinet members and other high government officials have been instructed to discuss vacancies in their departments and agencies with Macy, who will be the funnel through which recommendations are made to Johnson.

But when this short-range job is done, it is expected that Macy will be kept on the Johnson White House staff in an important capacity. He is not expected to go back to the commission; his term expires next March.

Macy's value to the President is great. He knows the career corps in government—its strengths and weaknesses. He has Johnson's confidence. He'll probably play a key role in a new effort to overhaul and modernize the federal establishment, which has been largely untouched and unexamined since the days of the Hoover Commission, 15 years ago.

Infectious Mononucleosis Favors The Young

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

Infectious mononucleosis (shortened to mono) often is called the kissing disease. But this is not the only means of transmission, because it occurs in those who have not indulged in osculation. More than 90 per cent of the victims are between 15 and 27 years of age.

The cause is not known but a virus is suspected. The disease is becoming more prevalent, even though not very contagious. When a college student has the infection, it is most unusual for his roommate to "catch" it from him.

Freshmen and sophomores are more susceptible than juniors and seniors, suggesting that the older students have developed an immunity, probably from an attack so mild it was passed off as a slight cold.

The disorder begins, like most infections, with malaise and fever. The lymph glands in the neck, armpits, and groins enlarge. The nodes vary in size and are neither painful nor tender. Sore throat

follows the feeling of weariness by several days and may be the most bothersome symptom. The spleen often doubles or triples in size and liver involvement may be severe enough to make the skin yellow (jaundice). A blood test confirms the diagnosis.

There is no specific remedy. The antibiotics are not helpful. Cortisone-type drugs are said to be of value when administered early in the course of the disease. But the lack of a good treatment is not serious because virtually everyone recovers. Now and then the illness is prolonged by complications such as neuritis or rupture of the spleen.

PAIN ON DEEP BREATHING

R. L. Y. writes: Could chest pain on taking a deep breath be traced to tuberculosis?

REPLY
Possibly. Pain of this type usually stems from pleurisy. This disorder is caused by a variety of pulmonary infections, including tuberculosis. Injury to the chest wall does the same. Now and then, pain comes from the abdomen, especially when the diaphragm goes down and presses upon a distended loop of the bowel.

NIPPED HEELS

Mrs. D. G. L. writes: As a young girl my heels were frost-bitten and now I am bothered with itching when I get warm. When I go to bed, they are especially bad — but it's at other times also. Do you think frostbite was the cause?

REPLY
Yes. Frostbite may damage the capillaries or nerve endings,

Don Reynolds Made Sensational Charges FBI Can't Substantiate

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON — The closed door testimony of Don Reynolds in the Bobby Baker case has not been made public, but it has had FBI agents scurrying all over the place trying to check on his sensational charges.

Reynolds let loose some eye-poppers when the press and public were barred, but so far investigation of his charges has led only to dead ends.

Here are the most tantalizing accusations Reynolds made in the secret session:

EYE-POPPER NO. 1—He testified that L. J. Evans, senior vice president of Grumman Aircraft, delivered \$100,000 in a brown bag to Bobby Baker as the "pay-off" for the TFX fighter-plane contract. Grumman joined with General Dynamics to present the winning bid.

After the money was delivered, Reynolds testified, Baker told Evans, "The Big Boy wants to see you," and took him in to see Lyndon Johnson, then Vice President.

A thorough investigation by the FBI hasn't produced a shred of evidence to back up Reynolds' story.

EYE-POPPER NO. 2—Reynolds charged that American Telephone and Telegraph had arranged for its executives to contribute to Lyndon Johnson's Campaign and collect a rebate from the company disguised as "expenses."

The FBI found the company had

encouraged its executives to contribute to the candidate of its choice but had made absolutely no offer to reimburse them from company funds.

EYE-POPPER NO. 3—Reynolds claimed that the famous hi-fi set which he gave Bobby Baker for LBJ was delivered to Johnson's residence in a General Services Administration truck.

This, too, has been disputed by everyone concerned.

Sex And VIP's

Reynolds' favorite tales, however, have to do with the sex foibles of Washington VIP's. He accused various Senators and White House aides of consorting with call girls.

He testified, for example, that he once walked in on a big-name official and found him making love to a secretary. Both angrily denied to the FBI that the incident ever took place.

Reynolds also claimed that a White House aide, so close to the Kennedys that he once posed with an arm around Senator-elect Robert Kennedy, was a boy friend of the deported German call girl, Ellen Rometsch.

The FBI dug up the picture of the aide in a friendly pose with Kennedy but could find no evidence that he ever knew Miss Rometsch.

Some Justice Department officials have recommended that Reynolds be called before a grand jury to repeat his charges. This would give the grand jury an opportunity to pin him down on details and compare them with the FBI's findings, then indict whoever is lying.

NOTE—The talkative Reynolds got his Capitol Hill start as an informant for the late Sen. Joe McCarthy, has made a career of bringing accusations against people high and low. He made complaints to the FBI against so many people, charging they were communists and sex-deviates, that the FBI finally investigated him in 1952. This led a Security Review Board to conclude that Reynolds was "a security risk."

His confidential file, which the

Senate Rules Committee has belatedly voted to make a part of the official record, declares that the board "concluded in 1953 that Reynolds' past led to a reasonable belief that he was a security risk. This judgement was based on his habits, activities, attitudes, associations, trustworthiness, discretion, and loyalty."

"In June, 1953," the file adds, "Sen. Joseph McCarthy attempted to intervene in the review of Reynolds' security."

Weekend Warrior

Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara, unassuming ex-head of the Ford Motor Company, has two important documents in his files to bolster his position regarding "weekend warriors."

These are the Congressmen who have the unique privilege, which other reserves don't enjoy, of serving in both the armed services and Congress at the same time and taking junkets at government expense while on active duty. They even collect double pay, both as members of Congress and as reservists.

One document McNamara has up his sleeve is the Constitution of the United States which reads: "No person holding any office under the United States shall be a member of either House during his continuance in office."

Another document is an opinion by the Justice Department written at the request of President Roosevelt when he wanted Rep. Lyndon Johnson of Texas, Rep. Warren Magnuson of Washington, and other naval officers to come back to serve in Congress.

The Justice Department ruled that they could not serve in Congress and the armed forces at the same time.

The Senators who are gnashing their teeth over McNamara's order both abolishing the reserves and against unnecessary junketing are Maj. Gen. Ralph Yarborough, D-Texas; Maj. Gen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, now a Republican; also Maj. Gen. Bob Sikes, a Congressman from Florida. On the other hand, Sen. Ralph Church, D-Idaho, a reserve major, went on record publicly supporting McNamara.

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Jim Bishop: Reporter

By Jim Bishop

In the darkness, Mickey heard the thunder of his heart. It terrified him more than the robbery. He felt his way around the bar, then under it to where the drawer reposed, locked with a heavy hasp. It wasn't just the frightened heart that he heard; it was also his heavy breathing. This was his first crime.

The jack handle pried the drawer up. The lock held, but the wood splintered. Mickey knew that the money would be there. At 3 a. m. on Friday nights, when Bartow locked the tavern, he always put the week's receipts, and the numbers money he took from the poor customers, and placed it in this drawer. It had to be there.

It was, Mickey had it in his hands, a soft fat bundle of bills totalling close to \$1,500, and he began to feel nauseated. He wouldn't have dreamed of stealing anything, but he had vowed that this Christmas was going to be different. It had to be. His wife hadn't had a \$5 dress in two years. The little boys were shabby and cold.

He couldn't blame Barrow. The tavern owner had taken Mickey's money over the bar, and under the bar on horse bets. With a few suckers like Mickey, every day was Christmas for Mr. Barrow. He was a big fellow, free with his fists and tight with his wallet.

Mickey fled with the money. It was 5 a. m. and still dark. He was so nervous that he forgot to close the tavern door behind him. He hopped into his old wreck of a car and started out of the parking lot at high speed. Now the sucker was a criminal. He had an impulse to go back, to leave the money where he found it. But his foot pressed hard on the accelerator and the car was bounding across the unevenness of the parking lot toward the street when he saw a vague figure dead ahead.

His heart froze in mid-beat. Before his mind could think of turning the wheel, he saw the limping figure, totally unaware, or maybe deaf, grow larger and larger and then the jolt as the body was hit and was tossed to one side like a bundle of rags. Mickey's right foot never relaxed. He kept going. Had he hit someone? Of course he had. He had seen the silhouette of a limping man, then the jolt. Of course he had hit him.

The innocent sucker—part-time bonzer and gambler — was a thief and a murderer. He permitted the car to go down the empty boulevard for two blocks. Then he braked to a stop. Mickey tried to think. No, he couldn't do it. Robbing a crook like Barrow was one thing. Killing a stranger was another. He made a U-turn and went back and picked up the bundle of rags.

Tenderly, he placed the man on the front seat. Then Mickey got into the car, and saw the victim staring at him in the dark. The sucker began to weep. He sobbed as he raced the old jalopy to the nearest hospital. At the emergency entrance, he stopped. The victim had passed out. Mickey took the bundle of bills from his own pocket and put it in his victim's.

Then he carried him to the doorway, propped him against a wall, loosed his burn, and drove off. He lived in fear and misery. Every moment was an eternity, every knock on the door was disaster. All the newspapers had the story. The police said that whoever robbed the tavern had panicked, and had hit the cripple on the way out.

The injured man said he had seen the driver clearly. He could identify the man without doubt. It was just a matter of time until the police closed in on the robber, and so it was. Mickey asked a garage to straighten out the right front fender. In two hours, the police had him in custody.

In jail, Mickey's wife came to see him. Her eyes were red. He felt ashamed that she looked so poor, and so loyal. "I don't know whether I'll ever get home again," he said, "but if I get a break, I swear that I'll never drink again. And gambling is out, permanently." She knew he meant it because he had never made a promise he did not keep.

The police said they didn't need a confession, because they had the victim to identify Mickey. When the cripple was well enough to sit up, Mickey was brought to the hospital. They stood him at the foot of the bed.

An elderly doctor was concluding a talk with the cripple. "We can't guarantee anything," he said. "But the original break in that leg was not set correctly. The thigh bone healed with a slight overlap of bone. So, as long as it had been broken below that point, we took a chance and rebroke the thigh bone and set it straight."

"You may have a slight limp, but my guess is that you will walk straight. But remember, that's just a guess." The victim smiled. "Doc," he said, "it will be a new life for me. Lucky I had enough money on me to swing the deal."

The police interrupted. They asked the victim to take a good look at Mickey, and identify him. The victim's dark eyes swung up at Mickey. The sucker swallowed hard. "No," said the victim, "this is not the man. In fact, I never saw this fellow before." Mickey felt his knees weaken. As he turned to leave, the victim lifted his head off his pillow.

"Merry Christmas," he said. "A very Merry Christmas to you."

(Publishers Newspaper Syndicate)

You're Telling Me

By William Ritt

Meanwhile, we read that style-conscious Washingtonians are keeping busy trying to guess what type hat President Johnson will wear to his inaugural—the traditional silk topper or an Eisenhower-type homburg. What's wrong with a Texas-style 10-gallon hat?

A Houston motorist mistook a motel swimming pool for the inn's parking lot, drove into it. That's one way to get a free auto wash,

Try And Stop Me

By Bennett Cerf

Just 130 years ago, in 1834, a Mr. Delmonico threw open the doors of his first de luxe restaurant at 494 Pearl Street, Manhattan. Sam Himmelfarb has salvaged a copy of the menu Mr. Delmonico had printed up to attract patrons. Prices were as follows: Soup, two cents; Fried liver, three cents; Corned beef and cabbage, four cents; Beef steak, four cents; Roast beef, five cents; Assorted pies, two cents; a cup of tea or coffee, one cent. A complete dinner could be had for twelve cents. And no tipping was allowed!

A young actor, off for his first fling in the movies after scoring a hit in a Broadway play, received this parting advice from the late Fred Allen: "When you get settled in Hollywood, do business with the men with the sal-lowest complexions. When you're



approached by a fellow who looks relaxed and has a deep suntan, avoid him. He's a bum!"

The height of illegibility: a doctor's prescription written with a post-office pen in the drop-seat of a second-hand taxicab.

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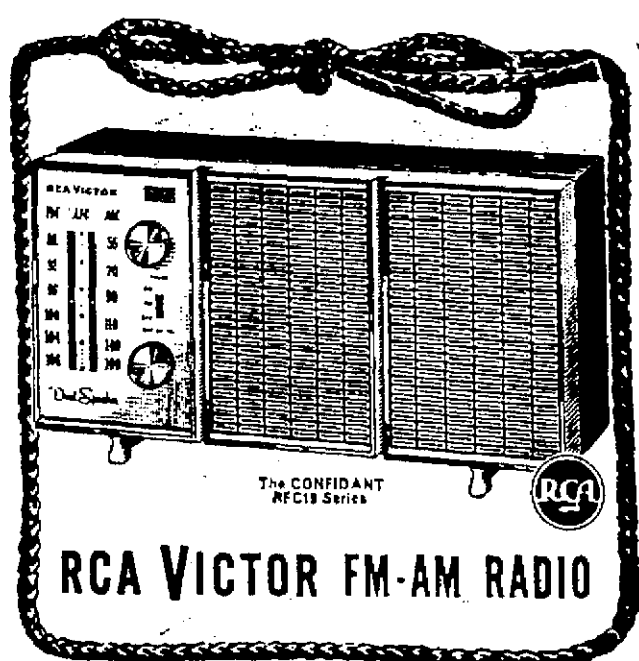
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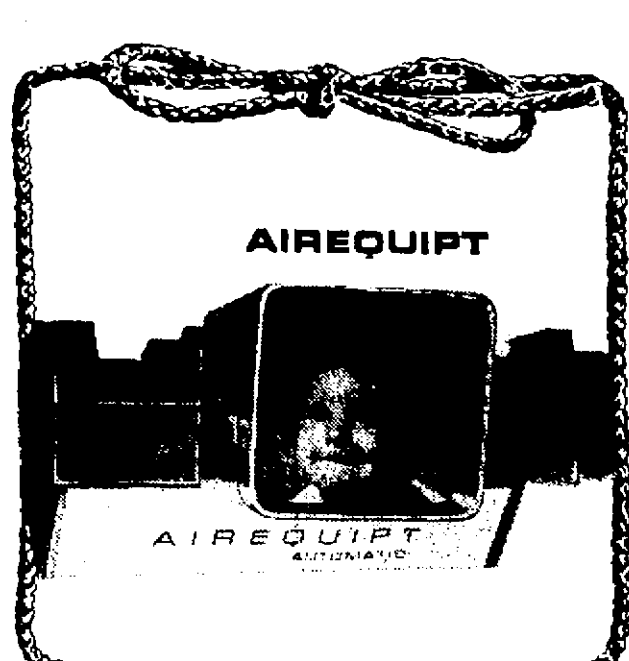


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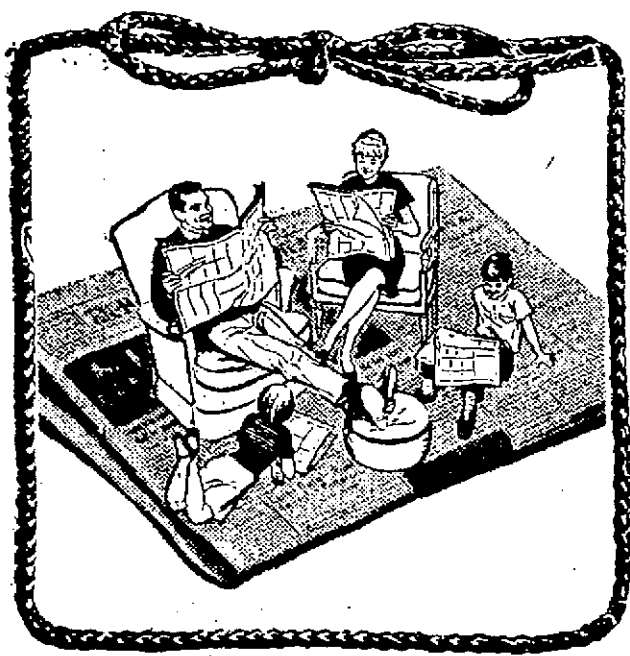
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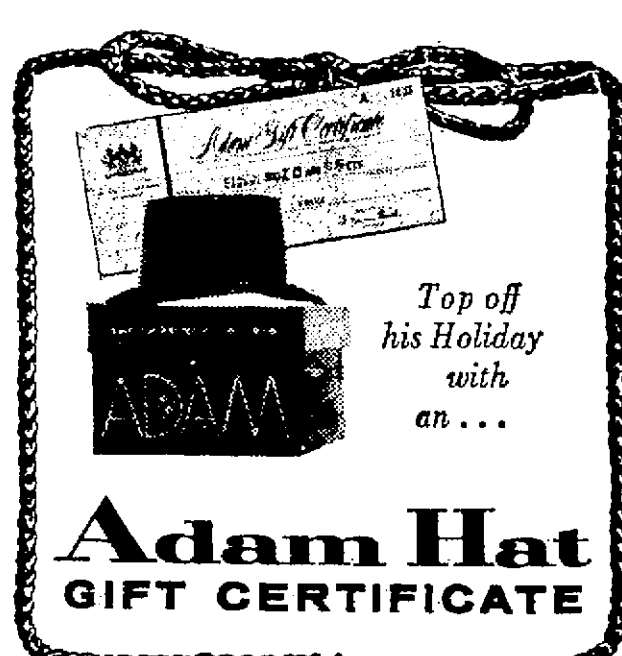


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Adam Hat
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Heinrich's Men's Shop
LaVale Plaza Shopping Center



The New
POLAROID
COLOR PACK CAMERA

A NEW LOWER-PRICED MODEL — THE AUTOMATIC 101

This is the economy styled Polaroid Color Pack Camera. It makes beautiful color pictures in 60 seconds and black and whites in 10 seconds. It actually weighs less than many 35mm cameras. It has a transistorized shutter that lets it measure the brief burst of a flashbulb automatically and make a perfect exposure. Handy 8-picture film pack loads in 7 seconds and produces a large 3 1/4" x 4 1/4" size print.

Harvey's Jewelry & Camera Shop
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Porto-Ped
Air Cushion Shoes

GIVE HIM STYLE AND COMFORT

Please him with the gift he can choose for himself. With a Porto-Ped Gift Certificate, you will give him year-long comfort and up-to-the-minute style. Ours is a complete collection of comfort-crafted styles and fashion-right colors. Priced from \$17.95.

Kaplon's Young Men's Shop
115 Baltimore St.

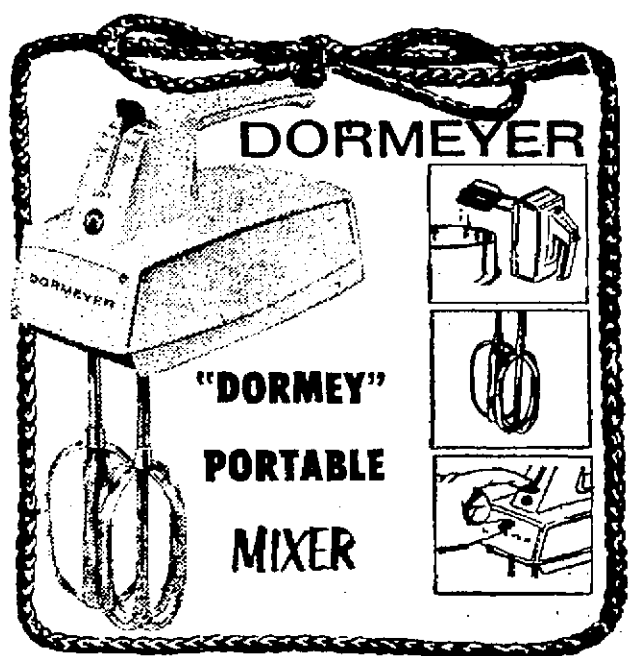


HATHAWAY'S INCOMPARABLE SHIRT

If he's a "button-down" man, what could please him more than Hathaway's incomparable classic white oxford. A superb shirt, meticulously tailored as only Hathaway knows how. Sizes 14 to 17. Sleeves 32 to 35.

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Modern. Powerful. Lightweight. Practical, finger-tip 3-speed control . . . for folding, stirring, mixing, beating or whipping action. Extra large, extra powerful chrome beaters. The "Dormey" rests on heel for easy draining, hangs on wall for convenient storage. In white and 4 pastel colors. \$8.88

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Man Pleaser! FLORSHEIM GIFT CERTIFICATE!

Give him the "choice!"—A Gift Certificate that entitles him to select his own Florsheim shoes. Gift-boxed free of charge with a handsome imported bone shoe horn, a welcome gift in itself, Florsheim Gift Certificate take just a few moments to purchase and are available in any amount.

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Rays Jewelers
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Bostonians

PERFECT FOR CHRISTMAS

The Christmas gift that will rate a big smile
From the man who always wants to get out in style
Is a pair of Bostonian's fine Flex-O-Mocs
The shoe that fits like a smart pair of socks.

Smith's Tender Feet Shoe Store
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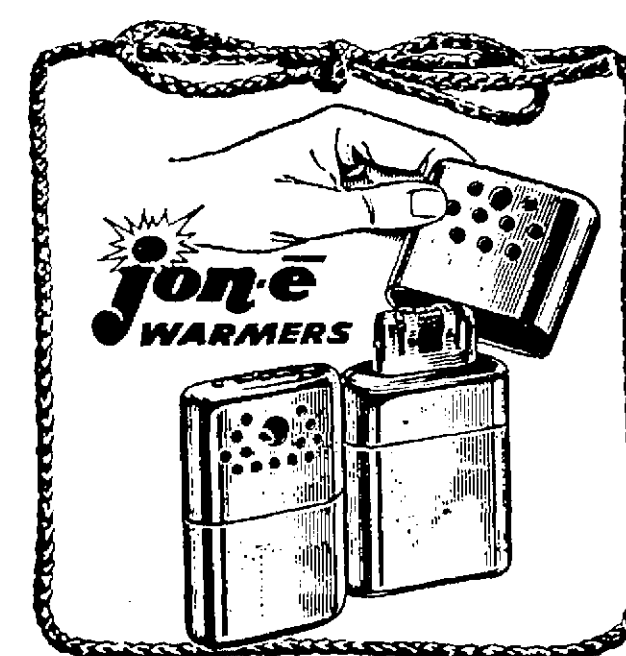


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GIVE HIM A STETSON CHRISTMAS GIFT CERTIFICATE

The perfect gift, the perfect thought—a Stetson Christmas Gift Certificate . . . the perfect way to remember relative or friend! Because it allows him to choose his Stetson to suit his taste in style, color, and trim—while thinking of you, the giver! Priced from \$12.95.

Schwarzenbach's
124 Baltimore St.



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WARMERS

FOR THE WARMEST CHRISTMAS EVER

Everyone who works or plays outdoors in cold weather can be warm and comfortable with a Jone Warmer in his pocket. This "personal radiator" is chrome-plated, polished—and comes with a drawstring carrying bag. Lights cigarettes. Lasts a lifetime. Fully guaranteed. Standard size heats all day on one filling (1 oz. Jone Fluid), \$3.95. Giant size heats 2 days on one filling of Jone Fluid, \$4.95.

The Wilson Hardware Co.
30 N. Mechanic St.

Yule Mailing Is Exceeding 1963 Totals

The Cumberland Post Office registered its third consecutive 100,000 mail cancellation day Wednesday, according to William B. Orndorff, postmaster.

Wednesday's 125,338 brought the total for the "Christmas mailing" period which began December 1 to 741,024.

In the comparable period a year ago, the total was 637,308 which means this year is \$2.18 ahead, Mr. Orndorff said.

Last year December 16 was the first 100,000 cancellation day in the mailing period and was the first of four consecutive days which exceeded that number. Post Office officials say they expect yesterday's business to pass 100,000.

In the mailing period last year from December 1 to December 24, Christmas Eve, the local office and cancellations totaled 1,388,686.

That amount is expected to be surpassed this year when the period ends Thursday.

Scouts Hold Honor Court

Boy Scout Troop 89, sponsored by the Lutheran Churchmen of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, conducted a Court of Honor Wednesday.

Eric Sutherland, senior patrol leader, was awarded the Star Scout rank and Terry Dull and Patrick Hollern second class badges.

Timothy Ammons, James Diehl and Patrick Dunn were inducted as Tenderfoot Scouts. Merit badges for leathercraft and cooking went to Eric Sutherland and the lifesaving badge to Robert Brinsmade, Life Scout.

Patrol leaders Kevin Thompson and Patrick Hollern were installed.

Undergoes Surgery

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Morgan Vanderbilt, widow of Reginald C. Vanderbilt and mother of heiress Gloria Vanderbilt, was reported in satisfactory condition Thursday in Cedars of Lebanon Hospital.

Attendants said Mrs. Vanderbilt was "doing very well and recuperating very nicely" following surgery Tuesday on an artery that carries blood from the heart.

Stock Payment

NEW YORK (UPI) — Stockholders of First National Bank, Yonkers, N.Y., Wednesday approved the sale of the bank of Chemical Bank New York Trust Co. for stock.

CENTENNIAL SCRAPBOOK

The War for the Union 1861-65 in Pictures



Harpeth River Bridge had gun-ports for its protection, as can be seen in this south view.

No. 484 Jacob Dolson Cox multi-talented lawyer who entered the Federal service in 1861 via the Ohio militia, was engaged at South Mountain, Antietam and other of the most sanguinary of battles in the war. He was not given to exaggeration; he had a scientific mind trained as architect, world renowned authority on microscopy, and other pursuits. He regarded what happened at Franklin, Tenn., in 1864, as the worst kind of warfare.

"Hood had more men killed at Franklin than died on one side in some of the great conflicts of the war. His killed were more than Grant's at Shiloh, McClellan's in the Seven Days' Battle, Burnside's at Fredericksburg, Rosecrans' at Stone's River or at Chickamauga, Hooker's at Chancellorsville, and almost as many as Grant's at Cold Harbor," Cox wrote in describing what made Franklin unforgettable to every man, Confederate or Yankee, who was there.

Both Grant's and Lee's armies at Cold Harbor, 108,000 and 59,000, respectively, outnumbered substantially the Union and Confederate at Franklin. J. M. Schofield had some 32,000 to oppose an attack by Hood's 38,000.

Schofield, moving toward Nashville with the XXII Corps to re-enforce G. H. Thomas while Sherman continued his drive for Savannah, decided to hold Franklin, south of the Harpeth River, until his trains were safely across the inadequate fords, ferries and bridges. This covered railroad bridge over the river, at which the Federals raised fortifications on the right of the bridge to defend it, became a center of the fighting.

"The annals of war may long be searched for a parallel to the desperate charge of the Army of Tennessee [Hood] at Franklin, a charge which has been called the greatest drama in American history," Stanley F. Horn wrote in his classic history, "The Army of Tennessee" (pub. by Bobbs-Merrill).

Some 7,000 of the Confederates were lost, compared to 2,326 Union casualties.

Hood, too weakened by Franklin, to attack Thomas in Nashville, took up a position close by, hopeful of receiving re-enforcements. Whereupon G. H. Thomas seized opportunity to move out of Nashville, Dec. 15, 1864, and fall upon Hood's forces. The Confederates were routed, and organized resistance to the Union armies in Tennessee ended.

—CLARK KINNARD.

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LaVale Chief Has To Hurry To Blaze

What happens in a fire chief's life at Valley Street and the over-traffic while a blaze is raging in of North Mechanic Street and Henderson Avenue, only after

In the case of Jerry Proud of taking necessary precaution. LaVale, you put your hand on the horn of your car and hope—passed the ambulance which was hope that other motorists realize taking Waverly Rice, an injured emergency exists and are con-fireman, to Sacred Heart Hospital, and when Chief Proud arrived on the scene, his company was the only one there. Two others, however, were on the way, and within minutes five companies, with approximately 70 men, were in the fight. Chief Proud co-ordinated the forces.

Chief Proud said he could fault neither the driver of the LaVale pumper nor Fireman Rice for the serious injury which occurred as the first alarm was being answered. The drifting pumper backed over the lower part of Rice's body and he suffered a broken pelvis, among other injuries.

He was placed in traction last night and it is expected to be in newspaper building and within a several days before the full extent of his injuries is known. Hospital authorities said he is in route to a blaze.

Chief Proud explained that Mr. Rice was among 15 LaVale firemen in downtown Cumberland who fought both blazes. "These men were weary and the reactions of a person aren't always the best when he's over-worked," he explained.

The LaVale chief was also on reports.



"Don't Clown Around" GET 5-CHANNEL CABLE TV



THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL FEATURES

TEN TOWNS IN THE CABLE TV AREA WILL BE HONORED WHEN THEIR MAYORS WILL MEET WITH A PROFESSIONAL COMEDY ENTERTAINER FROM CHICAGO. BE SURE TO WATCH CABLE CHANNEL 6, AT 8:00 P.M. SUNDAY AND MONDAY, DECEMBER 20th and 21st, "A PUBLIC RELATIONS PRODUCTION BY PV-TV."

Southern Baptist Hour — Sat. 3:30 p.m. (4)
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NBC Opera: Amahl — Sun. 3 p.m. (4)
Through Childrens Eyes — Sun. 4 p.m. (4)
Story of Christmas — Mon. 7:30 p.m. (4)
National Gallery Orchestra — Wed. 7:30 p.m. (2)
Songs of Christmas — The University of Maryland Madrigal Singers — Thurs. 9:30 p.m. (6)
Church Services — Thurs. 11:15 p.m. (3) 12:00 p.m. (4)
Christmas Music — Thurs. 11:15 p.m. (3) 12:00 p.m. (4)
Songs of Christmas — The University of Maryland Madrigal Singers — Fri. 10 a.m. (6)

THIS WEEK'S SPORTS SPECIALS

Football — Liberty Bowl — W. Va. Mountaineers vs Utah Utes — Sat. 12:30 p.m. (3)
Football — Bluebonnet Bowl — University of Tulsa vs University of Mississippi — Sat. 3:30 p.m. (3)
Football — Highlights of NCAA games — Sat. 5:30 p.m. (4)
Pro-Football — Buffalo Bills vs Patriots, Fenway Park in Boston — Sun. 2 p.m. (3)
Wrestling — Friday 9 p.m. (5)
Football — North & South all-star game Orange Bowl — Friday 3 p.m. (3)

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Presents As A Special Feature

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In An Hilarious Interview

With The Mayors Of Ten Area Communities

Sunday, December 20

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Monday, December 21

8:00 P.M.

CABLE CHANNEL 6

MAYORS TO BE INTERVIEWED ARE:

Mayor Earl Chaney Cumberland	Mayor David Shear Romney
Mayor William Preston Frostburg	Mayor Ray Wilt Westernport
Mayor Harold Ritter Keyser	Mayor Lionel Baker Midland
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Finnigan's Hollywood by Joseph Finnigan. HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—Carolyn Jones has become a hit on television by playing a character who resembles the cousin you keep out of sight.

Even her name is fitting. It's "Morticia." What other name could be more fitting for Miss Jones, who plays a spooky hostess for ABC-TV's "Addams Family."

The "Addams Family" is television's answer to whatever you don't like about the Twentieth Century.

Miss Jones, as "Morticia," is surrounded by a crowd of borderline ghouls. Her husband, played by John Astin, is called "Gomez." He's the type of fellow who would keep bats for pets.

The couple's children resemble a pair of kids who might be sitting outside a Salem, Mass., courtroom awaiting the verdict on their mother's witchcraft trial.

Miss Jones was asked recently what she considered the show's reason for success. She equated the "Addams Family" with a squeaky floor, a comparison not without reason.

Members of the Junior Choir of Midland Methodist Church will sing Christmas carols and there will be motion pictures. Santa Claus is expected to arrive early and distribute treats to each child attending.

MIDLAND — Arrangements have been completed for the Christmas party Sunday at 2 p.m. in the fire hall, sponsored by the Midland Fire Company as a special event for the community's children.

Grantsville Sale. Market report for December 12. Hog, 16 to 18.40 cwt.; heavy hogs, 15.70 to 17.70 cwt.; light hogs, 15 to 17.60 cwt.; butcher hogs, 15.60 to 16.70 cwt.; feeder hogs, 5.50 to 7 cwt.; good veal, 12 to 15.50 cwt.; standard veal, 12 to 15.50 cwt.; utility veal, 12 to 15.50 cwt.; downy sheep, 20 to 22.25 cwt.; utility sheep, 14 to 18.25 cwt.; slaughter ewes, 5 to 7 cwt.; good steers, 10 to 20.70 cwt.; standard steers, 10 to 18.75 cwt.; utility steers, 10 to 18.75 cwt.; good heifers, 12.25 to 19.70 cwt.; standard heifers, 10.50 to 14 cwt.; commercial cows, 12.75 to 12.60 cwt.; utility cows, 10.50 to 12.60 cwt.; canners and cutters, 7.50 to 14 cwt.; cutters and utility hogs, 12.75 to 14 cwt.

KIDDIE SHOW SAT. at 11 A.M. ON THE SCREEN ABBOTT & COSTELLO in "30 Ft. Bride of Candy Rock" PLUS CARTOONS

Center Theatre 1.95 Fillet Mignon (Broiled) with 2 vegetables

SIRLOIN STRIP STEAK - IMPERIAL CRAB - DEVILED CRAB - OYSTERS - CRAB CAKES - SHRIMP - 1/2 LB. HAMBURGERS - KOSHER CORNED BEEF - LOBSTER TAILS - BEER - WINE - LIQUORS - ORDERS TO GO - The Dolphin Bar 55 N. Liberty PA 4-9822

THE COMEDY TERRORS A MAX YERGEN-STEINER-LOUNET production

CHRISTMAS KIDNAP SHOW Saturday Morning, Dec. 19—Doors Open 9:30 A.M. Pick Up Your FREE Tickets from The Dairy or Any of Their Friendly Drivers

Study Group Is Concluded FROSTBURG — The Parent-Child study group of Hill Street School held their last of a series of eight weekly meetings with a joint session under the leadership of Mrs. Mary Jane Donahue.

Keyser Library Lists Schedule For Holidays The public library will close at noon December 24 and will remain closed until 10 a.m. Monday, December 28, for the observance of Christmas.

Friday DANCES 9-12 at the GRESAPTON FIRE HALL MUSIC BY THE "VELVETONES"

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Center Theatre NOW At 2:20 - 4:45 - 7:05 - 9:30

FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS! FRESH L-I-V-E MAINE LOBSTERS

The Liberty Tavern 42 North Liberty Street

Super Right Center Blade CHUCK ROAST 37¢ LB.

AGAR BONELESS CANNED HAMS 8 Lb. 62¢ LB. 79¢ Doz.

Two Garrett County Men Win Top Farmer Honors

FROSTBURG—Robert Buckel of Bitterburg has been named the "Outstanding Young Farmer" of the year by the Frostburg Junior Association of Commerce, and Charles Mason Jr., of Oakland was chosen as runner-up.

Announcement of the selections was made this week at a regular Jaycee dinner meeting at Maplehurst Country Club.

The "Outstanding Young Farmer" program, co-sponsored nationally by the United States Junior of Commerce and the national L-P Gas Association, was conducted locally by three sponsoring organizations: Frostburg Jaycees, Cumberland Pargass, Inc., and the Garrett National Bank of Oakland.

The award is presented to a man between the age of 21-35 who displays outstanding achievement and progress on a farm enterprise.

Mr. Buckel and his wife, Phyllis, reside with their two children on a 600 acre farm at Bitterburg.

The farm operation includes 31 head of dairy cattle with all the crops that Mr. Buckel grows being used to feed his cattle. He recently purchased 500 acres of woodland which has 30,000 pine trees planted on it. He intends to develop this area as a recreational facility with camping and tenting areas for public use.

Mr. Buckel is vice president of the Farm Bureau, a member of the Dairymen Herd Improvement Association, and Secretary-Treasurer of the Farming for Better Living program, of which he was named Garrett County winner of the FFB award in 1962.

As local winner, Mr. Buckel will represent the Jaycees at the OYF state finals January 16 at Salisbury where winners from all over Maryland will compete for state honors. An all-expense paid trip to Fort Collins, Colo., will be the reward for the state winner. At Fort Collins in April, the nation's four outstanding young farmers will be selected.

Richard Lyon, district manager of Pargass, Inc., spoke at the awards dinner and presented certificates of merit to Mr. Buckel and Mr. Mason. Four of the six contestants who were interviewed attended the dinner, along with their wives, and Joseph Steiger, Allegany County agent, and Thomas Thayer of the Garrett National Bank. Both served as judges with Mr. Thayer representing the third sponsor of the program, the Garrett National Bank.

Mr. Lyon pointed out that one farmer produces enough food to feed 30 people in the United States. This fact alone is enough to say that the farmer in America is a very necessary part of our free enterprise system, he added.



MRS. MYRTLE RICKER

Lonaconing Resident Observes 90th Birthday

LONACONING — Mrs. Myrtle Ella Rae Fazanbaker, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dolan, Cathy Dolan, day at her Charlestown Street home here on December 6. She, Gilbert Broadwater and Myrtle Ricker.

A large birthday cake was the center of the buffet table.

Among the guests at the party were Mrs. Olive Sowers, Mrs. Lois Mosser, Mrs. Carole Pickard, Elsworth Barnes, Mrs. Thelma Wilt, Mrs. Marion Fazanbaker, Mrs. Myrtle Shockey, Mrs. Anna Klipstein, Joney Klipstein.

Mrs. Margaret Lease, Marlene Jones, Mrs. Sarah Fazanbaker, Mr. and Mrs. William Beeman, Mrs. Jean Shockey, Mrs. Thelma Wilt, Mrs. Marion Fazanbaker, Mrs. Myrtle Shockey, Mrs. Anna Klipstein, Joney Klipstein.

Mrs. Nellie Trenum, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shockey, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fazanbaker, Vickie Shockey, Debbie Toots, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradley, Mrs. Sadie Watkinson, Mrs. Virginia Murphy.

Linda Shockey, Kim Davis, Mrs. Glenna Blye, Billy Blye, Mrs.

John Scott Is Selected For All-State Band

FROSTBURG—It has been announced that John Scott of Beall High School Band has been selected for his third consecutive year to be a member of the Maryland All-State Band.

The selection was the result of auditions held recently for high school students at the University of Maryland under the supervision of Dr. J. Heim. Scott will perform with the group on April 30, 1965 at Beltsville, Md.

Very active in instrumental groups, he is president and student director of Beall High School Senior Band. He is also a member of the "Bealltones", the newly organized Woodwind Choir and the Frostburg Arion band. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Scott, Grant Street.

Merchants List Prize Winners At Frostburg

FROSTBURG — The Frostburg Merchants Association promotional committee has announced winners in the community Christmas project which ended last Saturday. Shoppers deposited their names in local stores during a two-week period.

Venona Ware, Midlothian, was awarded a \$50 gift certificate. The following received \$10 certificates: Mrs. Robert Wellings, 163 South Water Street; Jo Ann Calhoun, 41 West Main; Mrs. Olive Duncan, 30 Beall Street; Louis J. Sleeman, RD 1, Frostburg, and Mrs. Edith Rounds, RD 2, Grantsville.

Stores are open daily until 9 p. m., and will close at 5 p. m. Christmas Eve.

City officials are offering shoppers free parking on meters from now until Christmas.

Undergoes Surgery

WESTERNPORT—Mrs. Thomas Magruder, Firm Rock, underwent surgery at W. Va. University Hospital, Morgantown.

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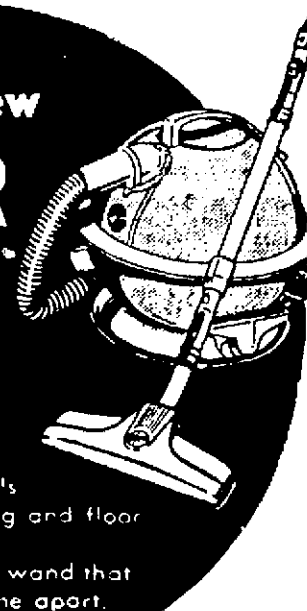
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Lions To Man Kettles, Plan Yuletide Party

Lonaconing Club Schedule Listed

LONACONING — The Lions Club of Lonaconing will hold its annual Christmas party for members and guests Monday at 6:15 p.m. with a special program. Boyd Bolyard and Oliver Murphy are accepting reservations which should be completed at once. A number of children will be special guests and all Lions are reminded to sign the registry at each meeting.

The club recently received a thanks letter from Leader Dogs, Inc., for contributions in 1964. The association advised the club that 140 leader dogs were graduated this year bringing the total to date to 2,695. This is a regular project of the Lonaconing Lions.

On Saturday, members of the club will man Christmas kettles on Main Street to help raise Christmas funds for the needy.

The schedule for members follows:

9 to 10 a.m. — Oliver Murphy, Ernie Painter, Harold Doolan and Jack Eichhorn.

10 to 11 a.m. — Martin Eichhorn, Raymond Andrews, Jack Getty and Raymond Hampton.

11 a.m. to 12 — Galen Beeman, William Wilson, Jake Moses and Jack Stakem.

Noon to 1 p.m. — Harry Bosley, Bernie Cordial, James Getty and William Hutchinson.

1 to 2 p.m. — Wesley Duckworth, Eugene Eagan, Ivan Wilson and Benjamin Evans.

2 to 3 p.m. — Guy Reel, Al Shaffer, Gorman Getty, George Eichhorn, Allen Haugen and James Parks.

3 to 4 p.m. — Irvin Lewis, Arthur Phillips, Thomas Holmes and Joseph Haugen.

4 to 5 p.m. — Wilbur Lancaster, Joseph Mello, and John Hibbert.

5 to 6 p.m. — Paul Fouten, Tim Donaldson, John Meyers and Walter McKenzie.

6 to 7 p.m. — William Keller, Boyd Bolyard, and Simeon Hutcheson.

Oliver Murphy who is serving as chairman of the "bell-ringers" urges that all members report on time as scheduled and that individual members can trade schedules if they wish, but the chairman should be advised.

Enter Hospital

FROSTBURG — Recently admitted patients to Miners Hospital include Margaret Duckworth, Lonaconing and Judy Fere, William Raley, George Aldridge, Lisa McKenzie and Rita Haberlein, all of Frostburg.

Valley High Has 88 On Honor Roll

Seniors Top List; Sophomores Next

LONACONING — According to Paul D. Beable, principal at Valley High School, 88 students earned places on the Honor Roll for the second report card period.

Seniors topped the list with 24. The Sophomores had 18. The freshmen 17. Grade seven had 16 and the Juniors 13. None are listed in the eighth grade.

The honor roll as released includes:

GRADE SEVEN — Josephine Chaney, Linda Crawford, Kitty Gattens, Dorothy Holshey, Debby Kimble, Karen Myers, Mary Moffatt, Sharon Muir, Sharon Llewellyn, Patricia Metz, George Phillips, Eleanor Thompson, Deborah Snyder, Gary Winters, Debra Simpson and Thomas Taylor.

GRADE NINE — Ruth Dolly, Brenda Fazanbaker, Marilyn Furman, Karen Green, Betty Ann Barclay, Paula Grove, Robert James, Sharon Kyle, Lynn A. McClain, Martha McCutcheson, Carol McKenzie, Dorothy Moses, Debbie Simpson, Barbara Thomas, Mary Turner, Jeanne Stark and Mary Ross.

GRADE TEN — Candace Cooper, Kathy Cutter, Vonna Elkins, Katherine Long, Janet Green, Emily Green, Kenneth Jacobs, Carolyn Metz, Mary Munson, Deanne Mowbray, Lynn Miller, David Robertson, Richard Steidling, Catherine Ravenscroft, Susan Turner, Willa Schramm, Fay Spiker and Danny Spiker.

GRADE ELEVEN — Susan Clark, Linda Davis, Bonnie Fickes, Janice Gardner, Ed Culbertson, Alana Loar, Barbara Miller, Mary Margaret Miller, Nancy

Milford, Paul Green, Dianna Snyder, Bob Love and Ray Stark.
GRADE TWELVE — Eugene Broadwater, Eddie Andrews, Marie Clark, Linda Lea Clark, Carolyn Custer, Andrea Bowden, Larry Duckworth, Florence Brown, Greg Getty, Carol Hausrath, Rheba James, Ray Kiddy, Linda Johnson, Gayle Griffith, Peggy Mooney, Judy Lashbaugh, Diane Moore, Ray Miller, Mary Lynn McCormick, Mary Ravenscroft, Jane Ravenscroft, Andy Winter, Nelson Timney and Paul Youngblood.

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Golden Wedding To Be Observed At Open House

GILMORE—Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sheridan Bucklew, of Gilmore, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary with open house at their home Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. for relatives and friends.

The couple was married December 24, 1914 in Barton with Rev. Frederick I. Mumford officiating. Attendants were Mrs. Virgie Doyle and the late Robert Doyle.

Garbage Collection Dates Changed

PIEDMONT — Garbage collection in the Town of Piedmont during the holiday season will be held Wednesday, December 23 and 30 on the hill and Thursday, December 24 and 31 on the flat. Municipal officials directed the schedule at their meeting this week.

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The Glory Of Christmas To Be Staged At Church

WESTERNPORT — A Cantata and pageant, "The Glory of Christmas," will be presented at the First Baptist Church Sunday at 7:30 p. m. by the senior choir of the church.

The program follows: choir processional; invocation, Rev. Henry G. Laube; offering and

offertory prayer, Charles McCarty; anthem, "Joy to the World" and the cantata-pageant.

Those taking part will be Mrs. Bernice Rinard, choir director; Mrs. Elaine Koch, organist; Mrs. Marjorie Barry, pianist; Joseph Reinard, projectionist; Charles Reid, recorder; Mrs. Frances Greaves, prompter and Mrs. Frona Williams, reader.

The choir includes Miss Judith Miller, Miss Nancy Miller, Mrs. Shirley Warnick, David Diaz, Mrs. Joy Dohm, Eileen Miller, Mrs. Lois Ridings, Richard Rinard, Mrs. Dorothy Marsh, Richard Miller, Mrs. Virginia Ravenscroft, Mrs. Alice Brenneman, Miss Doris Fay Miller, Kenneth Diaz, Mrs. Barbara Matthews, Mrs. Genevieve Hughes and Mrs. Maxine Leasure.

Others participating will be Kevin Koch, Frank Bartlett, Terry Dohm, Catherine Ravenscroft, Tara S. Hanna, Candy Dohm, Christina Hughes, Nancy Dawson, Brenda Laube and Shirley Boyce.

The "Countdowns" will furnish music for the dance.

Cora Lynn McFarland and Sandra Whetstone are in charge of ticket sale and distribution.

The decorations for the dance will follow the general theme with a large silver bell suspended above the band.

The gymnasium will be decorated in silver with table decorations consisting of pine and pine cones. Bonnie Griffiths and Beth Muir head up the decorating committee. Assisting will be Pat Atkinson and Allen Evans who will provide the pine and other evergreens.

Hedy Sleeman will be in charge of getting lights and icicles for the trees assisted by Susan Logue who will secure other decorations.

All faculty members have been issued invitations to attend with an escort.

Loyalty Bible Class Has Jingle Party

FROSTBURG — A dinner meeting and Christmas party where jingle gifts were presented and class sisters for the past year were revealed was held a recent evening by the Loyalty Bible Class of St. Paul's Lutheran Church with Mrs. Minnie Bowen in charge of the program.

Participating in the program were Mrs. Bowen, opening prayer; Mrs. Emma Keller, scripture and readings by Bertha Geis, Vesta Biddington, Mary Davis, Leora Crowe, Ruby Watkins and Letta Engle.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arch Davis, East Main Street, January 14 at 8 p. m.

Young GOP Club Entertains Children

FROSTBURG — The Young Men's Republican Club of Frostburg will hold their children's party Saturday from 2 to 4 p. m. at the clubhouse. Children of members and friends are welcome to attend. Santa will be on hand to distribute gifts.

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Farrady Post Aids Dallas Fund

Farrady Post No. 24, American Legion of Frostburg presented a check to the Allegany High School Band "Dallas Fund", to bring them a step nearer their \$15,000 goal. Shown above are,

left to right, Bernard Smith, post commander; Frank J. Powers, past national committeeman; Robert Sutton, vice president of the Camper Club of Allegany and James Close Post, adjutant.

Clarysville Fire Units Arrange Installation

FROSTBURG — Clarysville Volunteer Fire Company will meet Monday at 8 p. m. with John Renie presiding.

The company was honored with a Christmas dinner by the Auxiliary recently when Chief Paul Adams gave suggestions and tips on how to pick a Christmas tree, what type of decorations should be used to have a fire-free Christmas and outlined fire hazards found around the house. He thanked the auxiliary for their cooperation during the past year while he was chief.

Aaron Snyder, chaplain, read a poem that contained fire prevention hints for the holiday season.

It was announced that the company will sponsor a Christmas party for children of the community on Tuesday, December 22, at 7:30 p. m. Movies will be shown and Santa Claus will be present with a treat for all children attending.

Joint installation of officers will take place January 4 at 8 p. m.

For the fire company, Kenneth Winfield will be installed as president; Russell McMurdo, vice president; Russell Burkett, secretary; Francis Fatkin, treasurer; Thomas Martin, chief; Aaron Snyder, chaplain; James Sleeman, sergeant-at-arms and Norman Filsinger, trustee for 5 years.

Auxiliary officers to be installed include Ruth Loar, president; Shirley Schurg, vice president; Mary Louise Winfield, secretary; Lois Filsinger, chaplain; Mary Adams, treasurer; Ruth Ann Pugh, assistant chaplain; Erma Sleeman, guard and Lois Pape, color bearer.

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A committee composed of George Lewis, Kenneth Winfield, Ronald Brode, Bernard Clise, Jennings Brode and Anthony Tomicic is in charge of the installation.

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CHRISTMAS PARTY For Tri-Towns Area Planned Saturday

WESTERNPORT — Children of the Tri-Towns area will be treated to a Christmas party Saturday, December 19, simultaneously at 1:30 p. m. at the Majestic theatre, Piedmont and the Welsh theatre, Westernport.

Santa Claus will distribute treats to the children as they leave the theatres.

Organizations sponsoring the parties are Victory Post 155, American Legion; Kelly-Mansfield Post No. 52, American Legion; W. Va. Pulp and Paper Company; Luke Local 676, UPP; Piedmont Lodge 1120, Loyal Order of Moose and Potomac Fire Company.

The candy will be sacked by Legionnaires and Auxiliary members with the assistance of the Girl Scouts.

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Fort Hill At LaSalle For 58th Game Of Cage Series Tonight

Campers Shoot For Third Win At Hampshire

Piedmont To Invade Valley; Beall Hosts Unbeaten Ft. Ashby

The first intra-city game of the 1964-65 basketball season is on tap for tonight at SS. Peter and Paul gym where LaSalle High School's Explorers will play host to the Fort Hill Sentinels at 8 o'clock.

Tonight's contest is the 58th of the series between the city schools. Fort Hill leads in victories 30-27 and has won the last four games, copping last season's pair, 69-49 and 65-50 and the 1962-63 set by scores of 74-45 and 87-64. LaSalle made a sweep of the 1961-62 series.

Fort Hill and Allegany shared the city crown last year with 3-1 records. LaSalle's record in date is 1-3 while Fort Hill has won one game and lost two.

Campers At Hampshire

Allegany High's Campers will be gunning for their third straight win of the season and their 17th consecutive triumph in two years when they invade West Virginia tonight to tackle the Trojans at Hampshire High School.

Coach Chet Payne's quint holds decisions over Altoona Bishop Guilfoyle and Martinsburg while Don Peters' Trojans own a 1-4 record and have lost four in a row to Fort Ashby, Fort Hill, Bruce and Paw Paw after losing the opener to Ridgeley High's Blackhawks.

Valley Seeks Revenge

Piedmont puts a 3-0 record on the line when it tackles the Valley High Black Knights (2-1) in what should prove to be an interesting game at Lonaconga. Valley will be out to avenge last week's 61-56 defeat at Piedmont.

Four Potomac Valley Conference games are on the boards for tonight with the Fort Ashby at Beall tilt attracting the most attention.

Beall Tests Fort Ashby

Coach Quentin Sayers' Eagles have been flying high with a 5-0 overall record and a 4-0 mark in the Potomac Valley Conference. Beall's defending champions scored victories over LaSalle and Ridgeley but fell before Keyser at Frostburg Tuesday night. Fort Ashby has whipped Ridgeley twice and also whipped LaSalle, Hampshire and Fort Hill.

Moorefield High School, still unbeaten, entertains the Franklin Panthers tonight. Bruce High's Bulldogs entertain Southern High of Oakland and Keyser visits Elk Garden in the other P.V.C. games set for Friday night.

Hornets Host Meyersdale

Hyndman High's Hornets host Meyersdale, Salisbury, Pa., is at Oldtown, Mathias at Flintstone, Wardsville at Musselman and Cresson at Bedford tonight.

Homer Brooks' Frederick High Cadets will be shooting for their fourth consecutive win of the campaign when they play Archbishop Curley High School to night in Frederick.

Basketball Tonight

High Schools

Fort Hill at LaSalle
Allegany at Hampshire
Piedmont at Valley
Fort Ashby at Beall (PVC)
Southern at Bruce (PVC)
Franklin at Moorefield (PVC)
Keyser at Elk Garden (PVC)
Salisbury at Oldtown
Mathias at Flintstone
Cresson at Bedford
Meyersdale at Hyndman
Wardsville at Musselman



Pro-Files

WHO STARRER IN THE FIRST PRO GAME HE EVER SAW?

By ROB SUDYK

HUGH (BONES) TAYLOR, pass-catching whiz of Washington (1947-1954), was the favorite target of Sammy Baugh. He set many club records and usually led the NFL in average yards per catch each year. The first pro game he ever played was the first pro game he ever saw and he caught three TD aerials in it.

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NYU Defeats Lions, 82-73

Mount St. Mary's Bows To Manhattan

BALTIMORE (AP) — New York University, led by 6-foot-8 Ray Bennett, defeated Penn State 82-73 after Manhattan dumped Mount St. Mary's of Maryland 80-73 Thursday night in a college basketball double-header.

Manhattan's victory was its fifth without defeat and marked Mount St. Mary's first loss in eight games.

Bennett racked up 29 points in pacing NYU to its second triumph in three starts.

A junior transfer from Tennessee A&I, he sparked the New York team with a scoring spurge midway through the second half after Penn State had taken a 43-42 lead at the intermission.

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Larry Lembo added 16 to the Manhattan victory. He and Link also controlled the backboards in Manhattan's first-half surge.

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SPORT SLANTS

Vandy Needs 462 Ramey Recuparates

No "Untouchables" Leo Burke In Dough

By C. V. BURNS

STEVE VANDENBERG, Allegany High School sharpshooter, is only 462 points away from an all-time city scoring record and he has about 20 or more games in which to surpass the goal of 1,834 set over four seasons in 101 games by Michael Long of LaSalle.

Vandy is in his third and final scholastic season and has registered 1,373 points in 52 games, including the first two games of the current campaign against Bishop Guilfoyle and Martinsburg.

Last season, Vandenberg slammed in 584 points in 21 games and 739 in 26 contests, including the Maryland Class AA tournament.

The area's all-time highs for a season and career are 831 and 2,504 and were established by Bill Maphis, former Romney High School ace, now a standout on the West Virginia University varsity quint.

Here's a list of the up-to-date basketball records for area, W.M.I. League and Potomac Valley Conference teams and individuals:

Cumberland high school player with most points in one season, including tournament—Steve Vandenberg, Allegany, 739 in 26 games, 1964.

Cumberland high school player with most points in one season—Michael Long, LaSalle, 824 in 31 games, 1959 through 1962.

City player with most points for four regular 21-game seasons—Michael Long, LaSalle, 1,452 in 84 games, 1959-1962.

Vandenberg has 1167 for 41 games, including the first two of the current season.

Most points by PVC player in four years—Bill Maphis, Romney, 1,831 in 69 games, 1957-1960.

Area player with most points in 4-year career—2,504 in 92 games by Bill Maphis, Romney.

Most points scored by PVC player in one season—Bill Maphis, Romney, 534 in 21 games, 1959-60.

Highest average by PVC player in one season—31.4 by Bill Maphis, Romney, 1959-60.

Highest scoring game in one season for regular season—632 in 21 games by Maphis, Romney, 1959-60.

Highest overall total by area player in one season—831 in 26 games by Maphis for 31.96 average in senior year.

Most points scored in PVC game—1964-65 season—534 in 21 games by Maphis, Romney, 1959-60.

Lowest scoring game in one season for regular season—120 in 21 games by Maphis, Romney, 1959-60.

Longest winning streak in W.M.I. League—4 games by Allegany High School, 1964-1965.

Highest score in W.M.I. League game—Barton 132, Midland 10, Jan. 11, 1957.

Longest winning streak in regular season—LaSalle 129, Barton 23 in 1965.

ARTHUR G. RAMEY, who officiated football games in the tri-state area for about 15 years in the 1930s and 1940s, is recuperating at Baker VA Center, Martinsburg, Va., from a leg operation performed five weeks ago.

"Doc" had a vein removed from his right leg and he still gets about in a wheel chair at the hospital where he has been a patient since September.

Ramey retired five years ago from the Board of Education. It was during the time he was employed in the Washington street office that he served as supervisor of pupil personnel, later as supervisor of transportation and finally as supervisor of physical education for Allegany County public schools.

We've known Art since he taught at old Beall High School back in the 1930s. He refereed many a football game at old Community Park on Wineow street and also worked in the first Thanksgiving Day game at Fort Hill Stadium between Allegany and Fort Hill as well as numerous other contests at the stadium.

Ramey was instrumental in bringing nationally known football officials here for clinics, directed the first district basketball tournament here and supervised several state track and field meets.

"Doc" made his home at the Gunter Hotel, Frostburg, before being hospitalized.

He hopes to spend the Christmas holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Jane McFarland, who resides in Martinsburg.

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Ty Cobb Moves Into 3rd Place In RBI Totals

Records Of 1905, 1906 Uncovered

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y. (UPI)—Hall of Famer Ty Cobb owns a share of another record Thursday thanks to a mechanical engineer who doubles as a baseball historian.

More than four years of research by Robert C. McConnell of Wilmington, Del., and Hall of Fame historian Leo Allen uncovered the long-lost runs batted in totals of Cobb in the 1905 and 1906 seasons.

The records show that Cobb drove in 12 runs in 1905 and 41 in 1906 boosting his lifetime total to 1,954 and moving him past Stan Musial into the No. 3 spot on the all-time R.B.I. list. Babe Ruth is first with 2,099. Lou Gehrig second with 1,931 and Musial is now fourth with 1,951.

McConnell's research also disclosed a new Cobb record—he drove in a run in his first major league appearance at the plate, Aug. 30, 1905, when his first-inning double off Jack Chesbro knocked in Detroit third-baseman Chris Lind.

Cobb, who died on July 17, 1961, set about 50 records during his 24-year career with the Tigers and Philadelphia Athletics and still holds or shares in some 25.

Runs batted in totals did not become an official part of baseball's statistics until 1920. Cobb's R.B.I. figures from 1907 through 1919 were compiled by the late Ernest J. Lanigan, first Hall of Fame historian, but the figures for 1905 and 1906 remained a mystery.

Allen credited McConnell with digging up the figures by pouring over micro-films of 1905 and 1906 newspapers.

Hyndman Matmen Lose Second, 47-19

Hyndman's wrestling team suffered its second loss of the year yesterday when dropping a 47-19 match to Chestnut Ridge, Pa., at Hyndman.

The visitors won seven of the individual matches by falls, while Hyndman's boys registered two pins.

Hyndman won one match by forfeit, while also defaulting in the 120-pound class due to injury.

The only encounter to go the limit ended in a 4-4 draw between Dan Smith of Hyndman and Chestnut Ridge's Stanley Burkett.

The score:

55—Hammer, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Glenn Shaffer, 6:37.

103—Jim O'Reilly, Hyndman, pinned Joseph Hawk, 1:27.

112—Felix, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Richard Gray, 4:35.

129—Junior Coyle, Chestnut Ridge, won by default over Tom O'Reilly.

127—Roger Hammer, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Terry Gray, 9:43.

133—Roger Holler, Hyndman, pinned Ellis, 2:56.

135—Lemans, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Lafferty, 1:28.

145—Davis, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Sluby, 5:35.

154—Harclerode, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Dietz, 1:47.

165—Dan Smith, Hyndman, and Stanley Burkett, drew, 4-4.

180—Elliott Stallings, Hyndman, won by forfeit.

Unlimited—Kim Miller, Chestnut Ridge, pinned Jim Ryan, 2:27.

NBA Standings

By United Press International Eastern Division

W. L. Pct.

Boston 25 7 .781

Cincinnati 18 11 .621

Philadelphia 16 15 .516

New York 8 21 .276

Western Division

W. L. Pct.

Los Angeles 18 11 .621

St. Louis 15 12 .556

Philadelphia at San Francisco 12 17 .414

Baltimore 12 20 .370

Detroit 10 22 .310

San Francisco 10 22 .310

Friday's Games

New York 113 Boston 112 (Only game scheduled)

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Man Hit In Head By Oily Bowling Ball Wins Damage Suit

CHICAGO (AP) — A man was awarded \$5,000 in damages in circuit court Wednesday for head injuries he suffered when hit by a bowling ball.

Thomas Kincaid, 50, sued a bowling alley and William Lapp of Dalton. He alleged Lapp was careless when a ball flew from his hand and hit Kincaid. He charged the alley proprietor gave Lapp a ball with oiled finger holes for easy release from the hand.

Judge David A. Canel made the award. The mishap happened March 11, 1956.

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Otto, Mix Named To AFL All-Star Team 5th Time

Every Team Is Represented On UPI Squad

By FRED MCMANE

NEW YORK (UPI). — Offensive center Jim Otto of the Oakland Raiders and offensive tackle Ron Mix of the San Diego Chargers were selected Thursday for the fifth consecutive year to head the American Football League All-Star squad chosen by United Press International.

The 1964 squad, which is determined by a vote of 24 writers (three from each AFL city) who cover the season regularly, includes 12 holdovers from last year's team and seven newcomers.

Each team has at least one representative on the first team with San Diego and Buffalo each having five. Boston, which meets the Bills for the Eastern Division title Sunday, placed four men on the team while the New York Jets, Oakland and Kansas City each filled two berths.

Eight of the holdovers are from the offensive unit, including the entire line. Besides Mix and Otto, repeaters include tackle Stew Barber of the Buffalo Bills, guards Billy Shaw of the Bills and Billy Neighbors of the Boston Patriots and tight end Fred Arbanas of the Kansas City Chiefs. Other holdovers are flanker Lance Alworth and running back Keith Lincoln of the Chargers.

Parilli Makes Team

Completing the offensive unit are split end Charley Hennigan of the Houston Oilers, running back Cookie Gilchrist of Buffalo and quarterback Vito (Babe) Parilli of Boston. Hennigan is making his third appearance on the team in the past four years and Gilchrist his second in the last three seasons.

Parilli, however, is an All-Star for the first time in his 11 seasons as a pro. The former Kentucky All-America is largely responsible for the success of the Patriots this season. He tops the league in total passing yardage of 3,147 yards and in touchdown tosses with 29.

The defense claimed the other six newcomers and three of them were in the secondary. New York's Mainard Paulson, the league's leading pass interceptor, made his initial appearance at one of the safety positions as did Boston's Ron Hall, while Willie Brown of the Denver Broncos grabbed a half-back berth. Oakland's Fred Williamson was named to the other half-back position for the second straight year.

Beall Makes Debut

Other newcomers to the defensive team are end Bobby Beall of Kansas City, middle linebacker Nick Buoniconti of Boston and outside linebacker Mike Stratton of Buffalo.

Buffalo's huge tackle Tom Sestak, San Diego's rugged duo of tackle Ernie Ladd and end Earl Faison and outside linebacker Larry Grantham of New York round out the defensive unit. Grantham has made the team for the past four seasons while Sestak and Faison are also repeaters from last year's team. Ladd was a member of the 1961 squad.

Sestak was the top vote-getter with 22 of a possible 24 and Gilchrist, Shaw and Mix were next with 20 votes apiece. The closest race in the balloting was among the offensive guards where Neighbors edged Boston's Charley Long and Houston's Bob Talamin by a nine to seven margin.

No rookies were selected to the first team, but running backs Matt Snell of New York and Sid Banks of Houston made the second team.

One ironic thing about the balloting was that seven members of last year's first team didn't even receive enough support to warrant second team mention this season. Five of the seven, including quarterback Tobin Role of San Diego and fullback Clem Daniels of Oakland, didn't even get an honorable mention.

Win Streak Of Celtics Ends, 113-112

Seven-Game Skein Broken By Knicks

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (UPI) — The New York Knickerbockers surged from behind in the closing seconds Thursday night to beat the Boston Celtics 113-112 and snap a seven-game Boston winning streak.

Little Johnny Egan stole a Boston pass with seven seconds left and drove in for a layup to put the Knicks ahead 113-110. Boston's Bill Russell scored at the buzzer, but the basket left the Celtics a point shy.

Len Chappell had put the Knicks ahead, 111-110, on a three-point play less than half a minute from the end.

It was the Celtics' second straight loss at Rhode Island Auditorium, their home-away-from-home, and their first setback in the close-fought game back at the hands of the Bulls and the teams were tied 18 times.

Boston opened an eight-point lead in the first period but the Knicks closed the gap to two by intermission despite John Havlicek's 14-point production in the second quarter.

New York fouled out: Sanders. Personal fouls: Boston 25, New York 22. A.L. 3,102.

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PITTSBURGH (UPI) — Although the Pittsburgh Steelers have played continuously in the National Football League since 1933, when the circuit started its championship game, they have yet to win a division title.

WRESTLING

Maryland 25, Virginia 2

Valley Beats Beall 30-23 In Wrestling

Knights Win In Lower Classes

Wins in the first five matches enabled Valley High School's wrestling team to defeat Beall High yesterday, 30-23, on the Frostburg mats.

Bob Chaney's Mountaineers managed five wins and a draw in the last seven matches but the early lead was too much to overcome.

Beall's only loss in the upper weight classes was in the 180-pound bracket, where Bill Evans suffered a second-round pin to Tom Shockey.

Valley won five of its matches by pins, while Beall registered three pins and two decisions.

Valley now owns a 2-0 wrestling record, while Beall is 0-2.

The results:

95—Joe Morgan, Valley, pinned Bob Pressman, 3:57.

103—Kenny Jacobs, Valley, pinned Bill Carter, 3:57.

112—Dick Mongold, Valley, pinned Danny Green, 0:59.

120—Bill Eagan, Valley, decided John Festerman, 4-1.

127—Rick Davis, Valley, pinned Jim Broderick, 5:56.

133—Keith Connor, Beall, and Roger Beaman, drew.

138—Bill Linn, Beall, decided Roger Michael, 7-2.

145—Larry Sperry, Beall, pinned Gary Kemp, 5:15.

154—Dick Goldsorthy, Beall, decided Warren Jeffries, 4-2.

165—Tom Davis, Beall, pinned Glenn Miller, 1:02.

180—Tom Shockey, Valley, pinned Bill Evans, 4:48.

Unlimited — Bill Elliott, Beall, pinned Norm Guthrie, 4:25.

NHL Standings

By United Press International

W. L. T. Pct. GF GA

Montreal 12 7 1 .617 32 28

Detroit 13 10 4 .30 71 65

Toronto 11 5 7 .29 79 65

Chicago 13 11 2 .58 63 69

New York 9 11 7 .23 65 81

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Thursday's Results

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Montreal 5 Toronto 2 (tie)

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Sentinels Lose At Martinsburg High, 78-54

Brant, Johnson Score 11 Goals In Last Quarter

Fort Hill Suffers 2nd Loss; Hixson, Merkel Ring Up 38

Eleven field goals by Leo Brant and Dick Johnson featured a 30-point rally in the final period as the Martinsburg High School Bulldogs handed Fort Hill High School's Sentinels their second straight defeat last night at Martinsburg by the score of 78-54.

Fort Hill trailed by eight points going into the final stanza when Brant connected for seven goals and Johnson scored four as Coach John Cole's quint outpointed the visitors in the final heat, 30 to 14 points. All but two of goals came on shots outside the foul circle during Martinsburg's wild finish. Score is Tied Twice.

In the opening period the score was knotted at 8-8 and 10-10 but Dick Johnson's basket broke the second deadlock and the home team grabbed the long end of a 15-12 count at the conclusion of the quarter. The Bulldogs widened the margin to five points at half-time, 30-25.

Johnson, who scored 32 points Tuesday as Martinsburg lost to Allegany, slammed in 24 tallies in last night's game on nine field goals and 6-12 at the foul line. Brant also accounted for nine goals and 18 points while Tim Lamp contributed an even dozen markers to the winning cause.

In posting their initial win of the season in two outings, the Bulldogs collected 34 field goals to 19 for the Sentinels. Fort Hill meshed 16 of 24 foul shots for a .667 average and the home team converted 10 of 23 free throws.

Hixson, Merkel Score 38
Mike Hixson and Darrell Merkel garnered 19 points each to spark Fort Hill's offensive and Paul Flick chipped in 11 tallies. Hixson had eight field goals and Merkel had six to his credit with a 7-8 performance at the 15-foot line.

Fort Hill's Bill Reed was the only player to foul out. Victor over Hampshire High in the season opener, Fort Hill has dropped its last two engagements to Port Ashby and Martinsburg.

Box score:

	G	F	PF	T
Will	3	0-0	2	18
Brant	9	0-2	3	18
D. Johnson	9	6-12	3	24
Brenner	4	0-1	4	8
Lamp	6	2-2	0	12
Phalen	0	1-2	0	2
Lehman	0	0-0	1	0
Gray	0	2-2	1	2
Alger	1	1-2	0	2
Leith	2	0-0	1	4
D. Johnson	0	0-0	1	0
TOTALS	34	10-23	21	72
	G	F	PF	T
Fort Hill	19	16-24	14	54
Hixson	8	3-5	2	19
Merkel	11	6-10	2	28
Flick	6	4-6	3	11
Reed	0	2-3	5	2
Brown	1	1-1	2	2
Baker	0	0-1	1	0
Sawyer	0	0-0	1	0
Davis	0	0-0	1	0
TOTALS	19	16-24	14	54

Score by periods:
MARTINSBURG 13 30 48 78
FORT HILL 25 30 30 54
Officials—Elliot and Arnone

Bobcats Lose To California Cagers, 107-72

Wiltson Scores 24 For Frostburg State

CALIFORNIA, Pa. (AP)—California, Pa. State pumped in 63 points in the second half of a free shooting game on Thursday night and defeated Frostburg, Md. College 107-72.

California shot ahead 10-2 in the first few minutes of the game and was never headed. They led 42-27 at the half. Pat Hobart led the way for California, scoring 22 points. Six of his teammates hit in double figures as the Vulcans cleared the bench.

Frostburg's Bill Wiltson was the high scorer with 24 points. Frostburg employed a full court press with eight minutes left and California leading by 37 points. But the Maryland team couldn't cut into California's lead.

California's 44-29-24-107 led by 37 points at the half. Frostburg's 24-20-24-72 was the low score. California's 107-72 was the high score. Frostburg's 72-44-29-107 was the low score. California's 107-72 was the high score.

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Hardin Quits As Navy Coach Because Of Contract Dispute

Athletic Director Has No Comment On Scovil's Status

By HERB THOMPSON
ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP)—Navy accepted Wayne Hardin's resignation as head football coach Thursday and bade farewell to the 37-year-old redhead who had a special knack for beating Army.

The academy said it was not prepared to name a successor. Hardin said he had no job prospect.

The final end to a 10-day contract dispute, which apparently resulted from personal differences between the coach and Athletic Director William S. Bupkis, came at a news conference where everything seemed amiable between them.

Hardin read a statement saying academy athletic officials "have been most cooperative in reaching a just settlement on the remaining four years of my contract." He signed a new one of five years at a reported annual salary of \$19,000 only 10 months ago.

Capt. Busik called it a "mutually satisfying settlement." Neither he nor Hardin would say what it was.

It is understood that Hardin was not completely pleased with the settlement, reached with lawyers present late Wednesday, but that the alternative would have been a court suit which he felt would benefit neither party.

Six Months Pay
Reports have persisted, despite denials by Hardin and Bupkis, that he was told Dec. 7 he would be fired and given no more than six months pay.

The reasons for his sudden departure, even following a losing season in which his team



RESIGNS — Wayne Hardin is shown yesterday at an Annapolis press conference at which it was announced that Hardin has resigned as head coach of the Naval Academy football team. No reason was given for the resignation, and Hardin, who had been at the Academy for ten years, says he has no immediate coaching plans. A settlement was reached on Hardin's contract which had four years to run. (AP Photofax)

posted a 3-6-1 record including his first loss to Army in six years, remain hidden behind academy walls.

Capt. Busik indicated the record had nothing to do with Hardin's departure.

The coach was asked if he would be resigning if he had had a successful season and had won an unprecedented sixth victory.

"It's tough to lose. I don't know," Hardin replied.

He is known to have been in the Navy doghouse several times in the past for controversial statements, and friends say life seemed a bit more difficult for him in the closing days of the 1964 season.

Sheer Speculation
Capt. Busik said any reasons would remain sheer speculation.

Hardin said only that he and academy officials reached an "impasse" in their discussions "and I thought it best to resign." Asked what kind of impasse, Hardin replied "personal."

Capt. Busik responded to a similar question.

"We reached a point in our discussions where we couldn't agree."

He said they agreed Hardin's resignation "was good for both."

Capt. Busik's statement acknowledged "the fine job coach Hardin has done in his six years as head coach and four seasons as an assistant. His efforts on behalf of Navy football are sincerely appreciated. We wish Wayne nothing but success in any future undertakings."

It also left up in the air the status of Doug Scovil, Hardin's 37-year-old administrative assistant who joined the coaching staff in 1963 from San Mateo, Calif. Junior College. Scovil reportedly had the inside track as Navy's next head coach.

"At the present time, we are not prepared to name a successor as head football coach," Capt. Busik said. "We will be considering prospective candidates over the next several weeks and should have a further announcement after the first of the year."

Colt Band Will Not Be Invited To Title Game

By GEORGE BOWEN
BALTIMORE (AP)—A sour note has been sounded in the ranks of the Baltimore Colts. The band isn't going to the National Football League championship game in Cleveland Dec. 27.

Don Kellett, Colt general manager, confirmed the band had been given no part in the championship festivities and therefore wasn't going.

Jim Kensil, public relations director of the NFL, also confirmed the Colt band has not been included in the game activities. "I do know we are to have a nationally famous band on the program," he was quoted.

It was reported it was the Florida A.M. band.

"This is an insult to the Colts' band," stormed sports editor John F. Steadman in a column in the Baltimore News-American.

Joe Garagiola Replaces Allen

Joins Yankees' Radio And Television Team

NEW YORK (UPI)—Joe Garagiola, 38-year-old former National League catcher, officially replaced veteran Mel Allen Thursday as telecaster and broadcaster of the New York Yankees' games.

Garagiola's appointment was announced by the Yankees prior to a movie showing of the 1964 World Series between the St. Louis Cardinals and Yankees.

Garagiola, a native of St. Louis and a boyhood baseball buddy of Yogi Berra in that city, moved into the radio and television field after playing for the Cardinals, Pittsburgh Pirates, Chicago Cubs and New York Giants.

An immediate success because of his quick wit, Garagiola won many followers while broadcasting NBC's Game of the Week. Now that he's with the Yankees, he'll be working technically for CBS.

Allen had been the "Voice of the Yankees" for 18 years, but he failed to work the World Series last October for the first time in more than 10 years when the Yanks named Phil Rizzuto as their broadcaster instead. Rizzuto's TV and radio partner for the World Series was Garagiola.

Rizzuto, Red Barber and Jerry Coleman were retained on the Yankee television-radio broadcasting team. Garagiola has been broadcasting since 1955 and has been with NBC since 1961.

Terp Grapplers Defeat Virginia

COLLEGE PARK, Md. (AP)—Maryland wrestlers won seven of eight matches to defeat Virginia 25-2 in an Atlantic Coast Conference meet Thursday night.

Virginia's two points came in the 123-pound class when the Cavaliers' Don Ruth wrestled Maryland's Jim Arnould to a tie decision, 4-4.

The only pin in the competition was in the heavyweight class when Olaf Dronov of Maryland downed Phil Stone in 5:56. The victory was Maryland's 51st straight in ACC competition. The Terps' overall season record is 1-1. Virginia is now 3-1.

Fearer Basketball Schedule Saturday

AT FROSTBURG STATE: Frostburg Methodist vs. Frostburg Methodist; St. Michael's vs. Midland Methodist; 9:30—Wesley Baptist vs. Eckhart Baptist; 10:00—Crescenton Methodist vs. Zihlman Methodist.

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Odds Favor Pats, Statistics Argue For Bills

Boston's Surge Sways Opinion

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer
The Boston Patriots are three-point favorites to win the American Football League's Eastern Division showdown game Sunday although they trail the Buffalo Bills in every major offensive and defensive department.

The odds-makers apparently believe the statistics are outweighed by the fact that the Patriots have won three of their last four games with the Bills and have surged into their current contender's position by making up 2½ games in the last five weeks.

The Bills will go into the game in first place with an 11-2 record compared to the Patriots' 10-2-1 and can clinch the Eastern title with a victory or a tie. The Patriots, on the other hand, must win.

Here's how the teams compare in offensive and defensive statistics after 13 games (figures in parentheses indicate how each compared against the rest of the league):

Depl. Bills Pats
Passing 221.5 (2) 219.6 (5)
Rushing 149.6 (1) 103.0 (4)
Total Off. 371.1 (1) 322.6 (6)
Pass Def. 204.6 (3) 225.4 (6)
Rush Def. 68.0 (1) 81.3 (2)
Total Def. 272.7 (1) 306.8 (4)

"We win by blocking and tackling," is the way Boston coach Mike Holovak dismisses the statistical evidence. "And we want to make up for last season when we did only half the job."

The Patriots defeated the Bills, 26-8, in a playoff for the Eastern title in 1963 but then were blitzed, 51-10, by the San Diego Chargers in the league championship game. The Chargers already have clinched the Western title and will have little more than a "live practice" when they played the Oakland Raiders in one of Sunday's three other games.

The Denver Broncos face the Houston Oilers and the New York Jets play the Kansas City Chiefs to round out Sunday's A.F.L. schedule.

Rebels Are Favored To Defeat Tulsa

HOUSTON (AP)—A strong wind accompanying a cold front delayed by two hours Thursday's arrival of the Mississippi Rebels for Saturday's Bluebonnet Bowl football game with the Tulsa Hurricanes.

The nationally televised game (ABC) is scheduled to start at 3:30 p.m., EST.

Johnny Vaught's Rebels are 11-point favorites to defeat pass-minded Tulsa and win their ninth game in 11 starts on Texas soil. In previous visits to Texas the Rebels have lost only to Texas in the 1961 Cotton Bowl and to Texas Christian in 1949.

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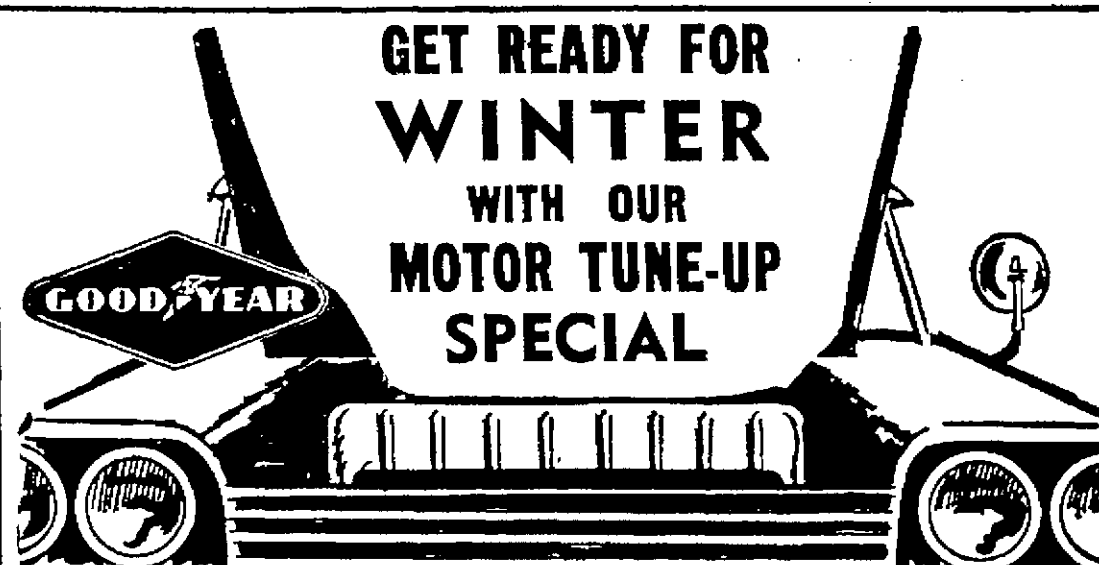
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Maryland Will Use Education In Poverty War

BALTIMORE (AP)—The \$302,000 allotted Maryland in the federal government's war on poverty will be used to educate nearly 200,000 persons with less than six grades of schooling.

Dr. Geneva Flickinger, state supervisor of adult education, explained Thursday the program approved Wednesday by the Office of Economic Opportunity.

It is basically to teach reading, writing and arithmetic of persons 18 years and older to better prepare them for jobs.

The Maryland Department of Education submitted the program and will supervise it in local school systems.

"Our ultimate design is not on to improve a man's skills, but to make him less dependent on others," said Dr. Flickinger.

She said adult literacy courses have been offered in recent years in Baltimore City and Baltimore, Montgomery and Prince Georges counties. But she said a study showed they reached only 421 persons out of 129,793 Marylanders then who had gone no farther than fourth grade.

There now are 198,031 persons 18 and over with less six grades of schooling.

Negotiators Seek To Avert Butcher Strike

BALTIMORE (AP)—Negotiators were conducting last-minute bargaining sessions Thursday in an effort to head off a strike by butchers and meat cutters against Food Fair stores.

Local 117 of the Amalgamated Meat Cutter and Butcher Workers, AFL-CIO, was scheduled to go on strike at midnight unless Food Fair officials agreed to a contract settlement similar to a recent agreement with A&P.

Some 400 workers in 46 Baltimore, Central Maryland and Eastern Shore Food Fair stores are involved.

The union is negotiating with the food chain stores separately to avoid a repetition of this spring's labor-management deadlock which resulted in all seven chains being closed for 10 weeks in a strike by the retail clerks. The clerks only struck A&P, but the other stores shut down voluntarily.

The seven chains were conducting joint negotiations with the clerks.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS
Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, Maryland, to be held in the City Hall at 10:00 o'clock A. M., December 21, 1964, an Ordinance will be introduced providing for the closing of UNNAMED ALLEY in Eastern Addition and Eastern Addition Annex, which lies parallel with and 160 feet distant from Dicks Street, from its intersection with River Avenue, in a Northwesterly direction for approximately 150 feet, said portion of said alley being contiguous with Lot 43 in said Addition.

The Ordinance will also provide for the appointment of Commissioners to award compensation and to assess benefits to any persons, including corporations, owning property on said alley which may be closed and who may be affected thereby.

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF CUMBERLAND
Wallace G. Ullery, City Clerk
Adv. N—Nov. 28-Dec. 4-11-18
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EXECUTIVES NOTICE
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of FRED A. EVELYN HYDE late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscribers on or before the 8th day of June, 1965. They may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 8th day of December, 1964.
Emily Pauline Hyde
Evelyn George
Executrices
Barton, Maryland
Adv. N—Dec. 11-18-24-30

SHERIFF'S SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND FIXTURES

Under and by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland, in No. 426 Judicial, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest in the following:

All household furniture, fixtures and equipment owned by Christine J. Williams and Christina D. Williams, and located at No. 133 Wood Street, Frostburg, Maryland, including but not limited to:

One (1) Climatic Refrigerator
One (1) Maytag Gas Range
One Breakfast Set
One Dining Room Suite
One complete Bedroom Suite
One set of dishes, cooking utensils, knives and forks
And, I hereby give notice that on Tuesday, December 29, 1964, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the premises at 133 Wood Street, Frostburg, Maryland, I will sell the interest of Christine J. Williams and Christina D. Williams, in and to the above items of personal property seized as aforesaid.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash.

PAUL HARBELIN
Sheriff of Allegany County
Adv. N—Dec. 18-23-28

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The War for the Union 1861-65 in Pictures

No. 485 John Breckinridge Castleman was a leader with Capt. Thomas H. Hines of the conspiracy in the north central states late in 1864 that periled the continued support of the war by state governments in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri.

Hines, Castleman and their followers planned to free Confederate prisoners in the North, arm them with weapons seized from Federal arsenals, and aided by secretly organized "Copperheads," take over the four state governments. These were to be used to effect a negotiated peace by the Northern government with the South.

Coincidentally, Confederate underground

agents in New York set off two days of fires in the city to promote terror there; 12 hotels, other buildings and ships were set afire.

Hines, the master conspirator, was captured but escaped. Castleman was arrested and faced the ultimate punishment for high treason when an uncle, Judge Samuel Breckinridge, who was an old friend of Lincoln, induced the president to write [1] this letter. It was to be a life-saver when Castleman's trial was set in December. Instead of being condemned, Castleman was ordered to leave the country. In Canada, he rejoined Capt. Hines.

—CLARK KINNAIRD

Executive Mansion.

Washington, Nov. 29. 1864

Major General Hovey, or whoever may have charge at the proper time.

Whenever John B. Castleman shall be tried, if convicted and sentenced, suspend execution until further order from me, and permit the prison.

A. Lincoln.

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Firemen Arrange Installation Dinner

MIDLAND — Members of the Midland Fire Company and their Ladies Auxiliary Unit will hold their annual banquet and dance at the fire hall, Saturday, January 9. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. and the program will include the installation of new officers. William Clatterbuck, Deer Park, president of the Allegany-Garrett Firemen's Association will make the installation. The dance, with music by The Aristocrats will begin at 9 p.m.

Nureyev? Who's He?

LONDON (AP) — Culture quiz: Which is better box office — the ballet or the Beatles? Early this month the Beatles' mop-haired drummer, Ringo Starr, went into University Hospital to have his tonsils out. There were so many thousands of phone calls from worried fans that a special switchboard had to be set up.

Thursday, Rudolf Nureyev, 26, star dancer of the Royal Ballet and long-haired darling of London's devoted balletomanes, went into London Clinic to have his tonsils out. He slipped in at 8 a.m., said a spokesman, "to avoid any fuss like Ringo."

The operation was a surgical success, but a failure at the box office. The clinic said phone calls inquiring after Nureyev's condition totaled no more than two dozen.

Commons Endorses Wilson A-Force Plan

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Harold Wilson's plan to organize an Atlantic nuclear force won its first vote of support Thursday night in the House of Commons. A threatened revolt by Labor's neutralist left wing never started.

The vote was 311-291.

The Conservative opposition, as expected, voted against the plan, asserting the force would be strategically worthless.

African Parley Fails

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP) — A meeting of the Organization of African Unity defense commission broke up in midweek for lack of a quorum. Morocco's representatives arrived three days after the scheduled opening but they brought the number of countries attending to three short of those necessary. The next meeting is expected to be called in Kenya in February.

Peronists Strike

BUENOS AIRES (UPI) — Scattered fire-bomb attacks Thursday marked the start of a 48-hour general strike by Peronist labor unions. The walk-out appeared to be falling far short of its announced objective of paralyzing the nation.

Done With Politics

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Commerce Secretary Luther H. Hodges said Thursday he has no plans to ever run again for political office after he steps down from his cabinet post Jan. 15.

NOTICE
Pursuant to Sections 161A-161CK of Article 23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the Board of Building, Savings and Loan Association Commissioners intend to amend and adopt the following Regulation at its meeting on Thursday, February 4, 1965 at 1:30 p. m., in Room 444-B of the State Office Building, 301 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201. Any interested party may submit his views either orally or in writing, at such time, provided that such party file with the Board no later than Monday, February 1, 1965, written notice of his intention to protest.

The Revised Regulation reads as follows:

INVESTMENTS
105.63 PERMISSIBLE PERCENTAGE OF SECURITY AND TERM

(a) Loan secured by Unimproved Property

(1) The aggregate amount of any loan upon the security of unimproved property shall not exceed seventy per cent (70%) of the market value of the security.



PROMOTED — John E. Kusik has been elected senior vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. He is chairman of the Finance Committee of the board of the affiliated Chesapeake and Ohio Railway and a member of the Executive Committee of the B&O board. He had been a vice-president of B&O since February 1963.

Dutch Teacher Socks TV Fan, Pays \$21 Fine

HAARLEM, The Netherlands (UPI) — A schoolteacher was fined \$21 for striking an impudent pupil who was more impressed by television than lessons.

"We have much competition from television and super cowboys like the Bonanza team," said Rien Kraak.

The judge decided Kraak's attempt to induce "the same effect" was a poor object lesson.

Mariner Regains Fix

PASADENA, Calif. (UPI)—The Mariner-4, headed for a July 14 fly-by of the planet Mars, Thursday regained its lock on the planet Canopus.

Attractive Highway System Johnson Aim

HARTFORD, Conn. (UPI)—Interior Secretary Stewart Udall said Thursday President Johnson is working on a new Great Society program to beautify America's highways to prevent them from becoming "a great junkyard."

Udall said Johnson has put highway beautification "high on the list of his Great Society priorities." He said the President would announce the details later.

Weather Bureau Warns Bears

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)—The U.S. Weather Bureau here, accustomed to issuing warnings to "stockmen and travelers," had one Thursday for bears.

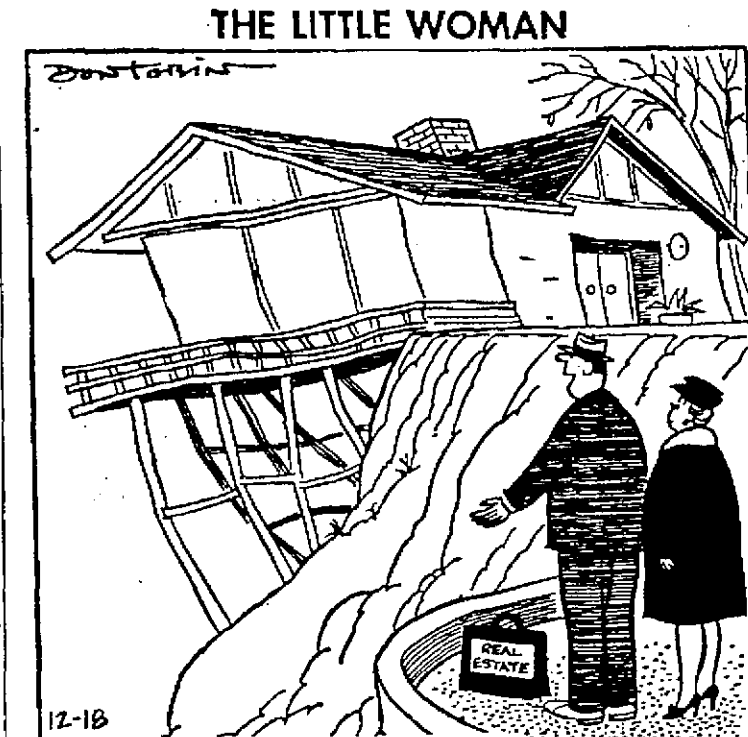
"If the bears in West Yellowstone haven't hibernated, it's time they did so," the bureau said in a release reporting that temperatures in West Yellowstone dropped to 51 degrees below zero early yesterday.

Garbage Disposal Dates Changed

MIDLAND — The community collection of garbage schedule has been changed for the holiday season. A collection will be made on Thursday, December 24, and again on Thursday, December 31, instead of the usual Friday, since both holidays fall on Friday.

Housewives' Holidays

OSLO, Norway (AP) — Holidays for housewives are envisioned by a Norwegian committee studying inequities of holiday laws in Norway. Legislation is expected in Parliament next spring to extend regular legal holiday as basic human rights to the women, farmhands and commercial fishermen, among others now neglected.



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Chamber Seeks Decisions On Vocational Plan

Opinions Of Plant Leaders Requested

Directors of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce yesterday authorized the education committee to determine from area business and industrial leaders what they want in the way of vocational and technical training.

The committee, which has been working on the subject for several months, listed the problems to be decided as:

- Do we want it?
- At what level, high school, post high school or adult, should it be offered?
- How extensive should it be?
- Are we willing to pay for it?
- How will it be financed?

The committee noted that late in October representatives of the County Commissioners, Board of Education and the Chamber of Commerce visited the Bucks County, Pa., Technical-Vocational School to determine if a program such as is offered there should be practical here and whether it should be offered at the high school, junior college or adult level.

Later, the men met with representatives of area industries to discuss the problem in detail and to relate how the school in Bucks County operates.

It was pointed out that the employment of the graduates of the technical-vocational school there is very impressive but that it has the advantage of being in a heavily populated area which has diversified industries to pick up the trained people.

Bucks County, the committee added, is expanding the size of the building next year to include junior college-age people.

At the meeting with employment directors of the plants, it was pointed out that the industries look for the most mature individuals they can get when hiring young people.

This was in reply to a query as to whether industries would prefer high school or junior college graduates with technical training. In a report letter sent yesterday, Robert C. Petersen, manager, said an industrial community such as Cumberland should have given consideration to the subject many years ago.

"Its success in areas where it has been set up," he said, "is unquestionable."

The board referred to the new president a suggestion by Mr. Petersen that the roads committee be reorganized as a transportation committee, so it can include air and rail travel in its program.

Francis A. Kenney, chairman of the roads unit, suggested that the Chamber support the committee's opinion that the Hancock-to-Morgantown highway included in the Appalachian program should be a relocation, built to optimum standards, leaving an improved Route 40 to take care of additional and overlapping local traffic.

The board took under consideration a request from Del. R. Samuel Dillon Jr. for support from Allegany County for his proposal to step up the continuation of Interstate Route 70 in Washington County.

William H. Oburn, retiring president, thanked the board for its cooperation during the past year.

Deaths

ADAMS—David T., 75, Frostburg.

BITTINGER—Gary D., infant, Frostburg.

BOYCE—Clinton C., 80, formerly of Keyser.

KIRKWOOD—Mrs. Hugh, 64, Shaft.

LAYTON—Daniel B., 60, Terra Alta, W. Va.

SCOTT—Mrs. Robert, 81, Pierce, W. Va.

SHANKS—John R., 70, Akron, Ohio.

SKIDMORE—Mrs. Matthew, Frostburg.

STARKEY—Mrs. Etta, 72, Lonaconing.

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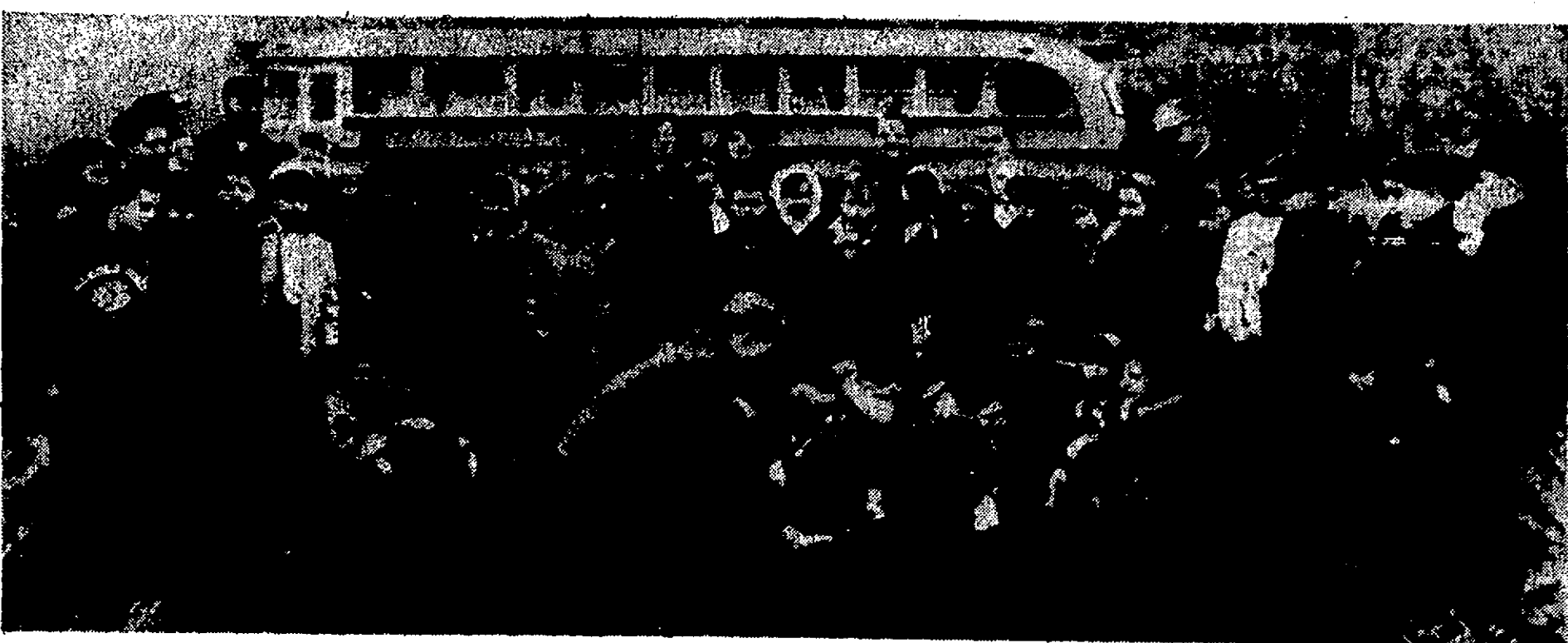
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ABL Workers' Children Are Winners In Contest

Fifteen children of employees at Allegany Ballistics Laboratory were among the 100 winners in the Hercules Mixer's 34th Children's Drawing and Poetry Show.

Three of the youngsters who submitted winning poetry entries are Jeffrey A. Quinn, 9, Serena Skurzynski, 11, and Debbie D. Harmon, 13.

Those who had winning drawing entries are Cynthia L. Diehl, four, William N. Miller, six, Jeffrey Roberson, seven, Jennifer M. Jacobsen, seven, Sharon Coun-



Students At Start Of Conservation Trip

Richard Bennett, work unit conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, crouching in the foreground, is shown as he explains some of the grasses on the farm of Richard Stegmaier to a group of John Humbird School students, their

principal, regular and practice teachers. The 51 students traveled by school bus to the eastern end of Allegany County and enjoyed lunch at Piney Plains School, the most rural school in the county. The trip took five hours to complete.

John Humbird Students Tour Eastern County Area

John Humbird School fifth and sixth graders had a busy five hours yesterday as they toured the eastern end of Allegany County in a conservation tour.

Thomas M. Wagner, principal at John Humbird, said the traveling group included all of the students in the classrooms of Mrs. Wilda M. Willis and Mrs. Robertine B. Murray. Mrs. Willis has all sixth graders while Mrs. Murray has a combined class which includes nine fifth graders.

Accompanying them were two student teachers from Frostburg State College, Dennis Burns and Miss Daphne Musick; Richard Bennett, work unit conservationist here for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service; Joseph W. Silber, who also is employed as a conservationist, and Harry M. Hartman Jr., assistant district forester.

Mr. Wagner said it was raining slightly at 9:15 a.m. yesterday when the group left the South End school in Guy Street's school bus. That was about the worst difficulty provided by the weather. The group made eight stops before returning to the school at 2:10 p.m.

In their tour they visited Richard Stegmaier's farm along Williams Road, a Consolidated Orchard on Irons Mountain, Twiggstown, Murley's Branch, Mr. Stonestreet's farm, Piney Plains, where they saw tree planting and stopped at the school for lunch. Final stop before the homeward journey was the state owned wild-turkey farm at Belle Grove where more than 1,500 turkeys may be seen.

Regional Game Warden Joseph A. Minke will visit the school today.

The tree was donated by Frank Magruder who operates a service station in the community.

Other groups aside from the businessmen of the community who are making the celebration possible include Knobley Mountain Post 135, American Legion, its auxiliary unit, Ridgeley Lions Club and Volunteer Fire Company and the Rod and Gun Club. Again this year Mrs. Frances Snyder has contributed a number of dolls which she made for the celebration. The Ridgeley High School band will present a program of music.

Light Airplane Missing Near Moorefield, W. Va.

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. (UPI)—A search was under way late Thursday for a single-engine Cessna airplane reported missing on a routine flight from Clarksburg to Moorefield.

The plane, carrying two persons, left Clarksburg Airport late Thursday afternoon and had not contacted any area landing field by 11:30 p.m. EST.

A spokesman for the Federal Aviation Agency said a check was being made of all regional airports to determine whether the plane had landed. The spokesman said the plane was not following any regular flight plan and the pilot may have altered his course because of the turbulent weather.

The names of the passengers were withheld.

Church Plans Cantata Sunday

The adult choir of Bedford Road Baptist Church will present a Christmas cantata entitled "A Song Unending" Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the church, according to Rev. Allen J. Beck, pastor.

Mrs. Everett Wade is director of the choir. Mrs. James H. White is the organist and Mrs. Wood Simpson is the pianist.

The cantata will feature a baritone solo by Sherman Garrett and a tenor solo by Roy M. Simpson. Mrs. Dwight Simpson will sing the soprano solos.

The cantata was composed by John W. Peterson and will feature several new Christmas songs.

Charity Dance Saturday Night

More than 50 prizes will be awarded to couples attending Saturday's Christmas holiday dance sponsored by the Greater Cumberland Chamber of Commerce and the Jaycees for the benefit of the building program of Potomac Valley Friends Aware of Handicapped Children.

The benefit ball featuring the music of Billy May and his orchestra with vocal star Frankie Lester will begin at 9 p.m. Saturday at the National Guard Armory on Brown Avenue.

Ernest Kessel, chairman of the prize committee, said prizes were made available by merchants in downtown Cumberland, South Cumberland, and the Seawtown and LaVale Plaza shopping centers.

Jaycee members who served on Mr. Kessel's committee include Thomas Garland, Arthur Lazarus, Gailther Martin, Neil Phillips and Ernest Cassidy.

Dr. Jack Arch, general chairman of the charity dance, emphasized that tickets will be available at the door Saturday night. Tickets can also be purchased in advance from any Jaycee or Jaycee, and at Light's Flower Shop, Harvey's Jewelry Store and Neff's Gift Shop in Cumberland, Crestmont Men's Shop in Frostburg and the LaVale Rexall Drug Store.

All proceeds from the dance will go toward Friends Aware's building program. The organization is planning to construct a new training school and workshop on Holland Street next year.

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Weather

FORECASTS

Maryland — Mostly cloudy and much colder with a chance of snow flurries. High in the 20s.

West Virginia — Much colder with snow flurries. High in the 20s.

Pennsylvania — Colder with snow flurries. High 10-18.

CITY TEMPERATURES

1 p.m. 40	7 p.m. 42
2 p.m. 41	8 p.m. 42
3 p.m. 42	9 p.m. 44
4 p.m. 44	10 p.m. 39
5 p.m. 43	11 p.m. 36
6 p.m. 42	Midnight 33

Equity Suit Filed

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Lonaconing Considering Charter Change

Would Provide For Town Commissioners

A proposed change in an amendment to the town charter of Lonaconing which would re-establish the commission form of government was read for the first time during this week's meeting of the mayor and council by James S. Getty, town attorney.

The change would be made in Section 381, sub-title B, which would re-establish a police commissioner, street commissioner, light and water commissioner and finance commissioner.

The proposal will be read again during next week's council meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. After the second reading the council will take action and during the following 20 days citizens have a right to petition for a referendum.

If the change is enacted by the town officials, the mayor would appoint or remove the various commissioners with the approval of the councilmen. When the town charter was revised in 1963 the section of the charter was inadvertently omitted.

In other council action this week, the town officials voted a donation of \$25 toward the Christmas treat for youngsters during a party planned next week.

The Lonaconing Civic Improvement Association asked that policemen turn on and off the Christmas lights on Lonaconing streets at certain hours. Police are complying with the request.

James Berry, street commissioner, reported that workmen of his department have cleaned Georges Creek in the area of Lower Island Street. Buckets of cinders for use in snowy weather have been placed in strategic sections of the community.

Police Commissioner Benjamin Zarger reported that during November there was one arrest in Lonaconing, 67 parking tickets were issued and 17 street lights were reported burned out.

Parking meter and fines receipts during the month amounted to \$227.40, said Alex Patton, finance commissioner.

Council received a complaint that water pressure was low in the Sunnyside Drive area. The complaint was referred to the water company.

Mayor Dewey Burns presided over the meeting.

Ballard's To Clean Uniforms Free

Ballard's Cleaners at 64 Greene Street will do their part in the Dallas Fund being collected for the purpose of sending the Allegany High School band and drill team to the Cotton Bowl parade on New Year's Day. The business establishment will clean the band uniforms, which number about 104, without charge.

John Wasileski Is Arrested By Pa. Police

John Wasileski Jr., 38, of RD 1, Waynesboro, Pa., who forfeited \$1,500 bond Wednesday in Allegany County Circuit Court when he failed to appear to face a charge of manslaughter, was arrested last night by Pennsylvania State Police in Waynesboro.

County Investigator William F. Baker received word of Wasileski's arrest last night and Pennsylvania authorities said Wasileski indicated he would waive extradition.

Associate Judge Harold E. Naughton issued a bench warrant for the Pennsylvania man's arrest when he did not appear Wednesday to face the manslaughter charge in the death of Mrs. Jean Fuchsluger, 34, of Towson, who was fatally injured in an auto accident on July 10 on U.S. Route 40 near the Baltimore Pike Fire Hall.

Wasileski was driving a car which collided with another auto operated by John H. Fuchsluger, the victim's husband.

Deputy sheriffs will go to Waynesboro to return Wasileski to Cumberland.

Walter E. Dyck Named Head Of Local Chamber

Walter E. Dyck, manager of Works 7 of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company here, yesterday was elected president of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce.

Vice president during the current year, Mr. Dyck was chosen for the post as the newly constituted Board of Directors held its organizational meeting yesterday in the Fort Cumberland Hotel.

Other officers are Louis Amato, manager of the Anacelle plant of Celanese Fibers Company, vice president, and Carl O. Belt, president of the Carl Belt, Inc., construction company, re-elected treasurer.

Robert C. Petersen, manager of the Chamber, is the ex-officio secretary of the board.

Members are William R. Carscaden, Charles S. Catherman, Robert Little Ebert, George B. Newman, Roscoe McElfish, William B. Orndorff, Morton Peskin, Charles Steiner, William L. Wilson, Karl W. Bachman, Edward L. Ewald, Leslie Helmer.

William A. Howard, William S. Jenkins, Francis A. Kenney, Samuel Moses, W. Fred Mowen, John Wilkinson, Fred H. Anderson, John Glenn Beall Jr., John E. Geare, Garland L. Johnston, Harry Kauffmann, Lynn C. Lashley, Earl Nonnenmann, C. M. Sanner and John Wilson.

The organizational meeting was opened by William H. Oburn, retiring president. Mr. Amato presided, in the absence of Mr. Dyck, during the second half of the meeting.

County Women File Petition About Report

Writ Of Mandamus Is Requested

Two women long active in the Allegany County Citizens Protective Association have filed a suit against the Board of County Commissioners in Allegany County Circuit asking the court to issue a writ of mandamus requiring the county commissioners to publish annually a "detailed, minute and accurate" statement of the expenses of the county.

Mrs. Dorothy M. Martin of Grahamstown and Mrs. M. Virginia Rosenbaum of LaVale filed the action in Circuit Court against the three county commissioners, Louis V. Shinnamon, Robert Little Ebert and Russell H. Carder.

In their petition filed for them by Attorney John C. Sullivan the two women stated that Section 24 of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, 1957 edition, requires that Maryland county commissioners "shall make out and publish annually in at least two newspapers published in their respective counties, if there be two, a detailed, minute and accurate statement of the expenses of the said counties, specifying therein each particular item of expense and for what and to whom paid."

The women go on to say that the section also requires that the county commissioners in each Maryland county must then deliver to the sheriff as many copies of the statement as there are election districts in the county at least 10 days before each general election and that the sheriff shall within six days after receipt of such copies set up one of them at the place of holding elections in each election district.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Rosenbaum contend that the county commissioners here are not complying with this section.

The county commissioners publish quarterly a county treasurer's report listing the totals of receipts and disbursements for the three-month period. The most recent of them was published November 28 for the quarter running from July 1 through September 30, 1964.

The order signed by all three commissioners also pointed out that Maryland law provides that "any party or any person in interest dissatisfied by a final decision or order of the commission is entitled to judicial review thereof."

Asks Rehearing

GSA, seeking a rehearing, said "There is no evidence of record to support the patently discriminatory treatment prescribed for the several classes of service."

C&P, in its rehearing request, said the boost granted was inadequate to sustain the company's construction program and more money was needed "in order that it may achieve those objectives."

To Light Tree

The annual tree lighting ceremony for the Christie Road section will be held tomorrow at 6 p.m.

Band, Drill Team Photo Available

A color photo of the Allegany High School band and drill team which are planning to participate in the Cotton Bowl parade on New Year's Day at Dallas will be available tomorrow to local and area residents.

The photo, which was taken on the field at Fort Hill Stadium prior to the Thanksgiving day football game, will be available at a number of local and area business places.

Keyser Man Pleads Guilty To Larceny

Draws Six-Year Suspended Term

Lloyd Otis Shears, 33, of 425 Main Street, Keyser, yesterday was given three suspended sentences totaling six years in the Maryland Penitentiary by Associate Judge Harold E. Naughton after he pleaded guilty to three charges of stealing brass journal bearings from the Western Maryland Railway between May 20 and June 30.

Judge Naughton gave Shears two years on each charge but stipulated that they were to run consecutively. He was placed on strict probation and provision is that he make restitution of the \$669.20 value of the journal bearings within one year.

The judge's sentence provided that Shears repay \$102.20 involved in the first charge within three months, \$339 in the second charge within eight months and the final \$278 with one year.

John M. Robb was Shears' court-appointed attorney. Herman Gilbert Westfall, 32, of 417 Ward Avenue, Keyser, also was indicted on the same three charges. He is expected to be tried next week. J. Frederick Sharer is his court-appointed attorney.

State's Attorney James S. Getty informed Judge Naughton that Shears also stole some journal bearings from Baltimore and Ohio Railroad cars in Garrett County and is on probation on those charges. Those offenses happened about the same time as the Allegany County charges.

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Mrs. Edward Shank directs the youth choir and Mrs. John Zimmerman is the minister of music for the church. Ann Hardinger is organist. There will be a nursery during both services.

Births

Memorial Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Okey A. McDaniel, 5-F Fort Cumberland Homes, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius M. Martin, 148 North Mechanic Street, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur E. Thrasher, RD 4, Keyser, a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. David P. Powers, 412 Maryland Avenue, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Clark, RD 2, Frostburg, a son yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Danner, RD 4, Cumberland, a daughter yesterday.

Mathias Says GOP Must Make Some Changes

Seeks Pledge As Party Of Lincoln

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Charles Mc C. Mathias Jr. of Maryland is among a group of 21 Republicans who feel that the GOP must make some changes.

He and 20 other Republican members of Congress signed a statement this week which will be considered again when the group meets Jan. 4, the opening day of Congress.

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